

## WANT TO SETTLE STRIKE

## Loomfixers to Submit Proposition

## THE MILL OFFICIALS CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES SYSTEM ABOLISHED

## To Receive Communication from the Loomfixers' Union

## Loomfixers' Union

The strikers are still out and according to the present state of affairs they may be out for some time to come. There is practically no change in the situation. The strikers still insist upon a 35 per cent. increase, while the mill officials refuse to deal with or recognize the I. W. W.

A large number of strikers, members of the I. W. W., today went to Lawrence to take part in the parade, and accordingly their quarters in Central street are practically deserted. They have leased Higgins hall at the corner of Market and Hanover streets for a year for meeting purposes at a rent of \$48 per month.

A foreigner was arrested at the Boot mills this morning while trying to draw a pay with a check which he claimed was given to him by some party. He was released later.

The Loomfixers held a meeting this morning and were addressed by President Golden. On Monday they will present propositions to the mill officials in regard to a settlement.

The Greeks held a meeting at 12 o'clock this noon in their school hall in Jefferson street, and were addressed by their leader, Dr. Demopoulos. He told them not to go to Lawrence, and also to keep away from the I. W. W. hall.

The Mule Spinners' union held a meeting this morning. The mill employees were all paid off this morning and this part of the day's program was carried out in a very satisfactory manner.

About 20 more Greeks went out on strike at the Bigelow Carpet Co. this morning as a result of house to house canvassing which was done last night by the Greek strikers after being advised to do so by their leader, Dr. Demopoulos.

The board of trade has sent a letter to the Boston newspapers, asking them not to magnify the conditions in Lowell relative to the strike.

The I. W. W. carried signs to Lawrence today bearing the inscription "Scabs Wanted in Lowell. Apply to John Golden."

Several meetings of the latter organization are scheduled for tomorrow.

THE GREEK OPERATIVES  
ADDRESSED BY DR. DEMOPOULOS

Dr. Demopoulos was seen by a reporter of The Sun today and he was asked if any statement was made to him by William D. Hayward relative to the fear of the Greeks not staying with the strikers and he said: "Well, I am surprised to hear of anything like that. Don't they have the Greeks with them? Don't I attend all the meetings and tell the Greeks all that is going on there? I sent a Greek delegate on every committee that went to the mills, not to join the I. W. W. or other organizations, but because I or they are opposed to them personally, but because I want them to stay by themselves and be peaceful."

When he was asked if any of the Greeks were members of the I. W. W. he said: "I don't know of any."

The Greek leader also told the writer that a woman called at his office this

morning and said that she was a representative of an organization of women who wanted to have the strike settled. She wanted him to advise his people to return to work, but he refused to listen to her, saying that he would not enter into any settlement with anybody.

At 11:40 o'clock the bells on the Greek church were rung and at 12 o'clock a meeting was held in the Greek school hall on Jefferson st. The hall was crowded to the doors. Shortly after 12 Dr. Demopoulos entered the hall and he was given a great cheer. The doctor spoke to the strikers and at frequent intervals he was interrupted by cheers. He first read the following letter that he received from Rev. George F. Kennigott:

Lowell, Mass., Mar. 29, 1912.  
Dr. George A. Demopoulos,  
Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Doctor Demopoulos: To confirm my telephone interview with you, I herewith put myself at the service of yourself and the Greeks of Lowell in their controversy over wages in the textile mills. I sympathize with them and congratulate them on their excellent behavior during these trying days. They have won the good opinion of the citizens of Lowell.

During my twenty years' pastorate in Lowell, I have always been greatly interested in the Greeks, and have assisted in finding work for many of them. Five years ago, I had the honor of an interview with the Patriarch of the Greek Orthodox church at Constantinople, travelled extensively through Greece, and spent the Greek Easter at Athens. I made an intensive study of the economic and industrial situation in Lowell for Harvard university, and this was published yesterday by The Macmillan Co. of New York

under the title of "The Record of a City: A Social Survey of Lowell," which I hope will prove helpful at this time.

With all good wishes, I am  
Yours sincerely,  
George F. Kennigott.

After reading the letter his people

Don't  
Thrash  
ThemDon't ever beat the car-  
pets again!The electric vacuum  
cleaner doesn't merely  
inhale the surface dust.

It cleans houses!

LOWELL ELECTRIC  
LIGHT CORP.

50 Central Street

The municipal council at a meeting held this forenoon voted to extend its sympathy to City Clerk Stephen Flynn in his recent bereavement and severance loss sustained by the death of his wife, which occurred yesterday.

The meeting was called to order at 10:10 o'clock and, in the absence of City Clerk Flynn, Assistant City Clerk Wm. P. McCarthy was elected temporary clerk.

The mayor read two communications from Bennett Silverblatt, attorney for Esel Greenberg. One was a claim for damages to property stored in Lincoln street, the damage being caused, it was alleged, by the leaking of a sewer or water pipe. The matter was referred to the commissioner of public safety, the mayor. The other was a petition

for the erection of a retaining wall in Lincoln street and it was referred to the commissioner of public streets and highways.

Relative to traffic rules recently formulated by the board of trade and on which a hearing was given by the municipal council last Thursday night, Mayor O'Donnell suggested that it would be well for the commissioner on streets to confer with persons opposed to some of the regulations with the purpose of arriving at an amicable adjustment of the matter; the commissioner to report back to the full board.

Commissioner Donnelly called attention to the fact that the bond of the city treasurer would expire April 1 and

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LEFT TO RIGHT—HAYWOOD, BOYD AND TRAUTMAN

voted to authorize the doctor to extend their sincere thanks to Mr. Kennigott for his letter. The speaker then read articles from the two local papers relative to the manner in which they are conducting their part of the strike.

He said that from his letter of Mr. Kennigott and the articles in the papers they could see that their part in the strike is being admired by all the people. "Now," he said, "the reputation you have made in the strike resembles a palace, and do not do anything that will cause the destruction of the palace. Remain by yourselves and keep away from any disorder and the palace will stand."

One of the number asked the leader to speak to the priest and have him talk on the strike but he refused to do so. He said the priest may do what he will give nothing but the best of advice if he speaks.

He also spoke of the Lowell strikers going to Lawrence today and told the Greeks not to go. He asked them if they would promise to do as he said, and they all shouted "Malista" (Yes).

He also told them that the I. W. W. was to make its headquarters in Higgins hall, at the corner of Market and Hanover streets, and he told them to keep away from there. He said, "If you have occasion to do any business in that section to go up the back streets and do not pass the building."

The leader also asked how the Greeks liked the treatment that they have received from The Sun, and he introduced the writer, and he received a great cheer. He told them to remain in their section tomorrow and that if he had any news for them he would post a bulletin in the drug store at the corner of Suffolk street. He passed around circulars that told them to conduct themselves in the same honorable manner that they have in the past and said they now have the confidence of the people and advised them not to do anything that would change it. He gave them other advice and at

the conclusion Dr. Demopoulos was given a great cheer.

THE STRIKE COMMITTEE  
MET THIS MORNING

There was a meeting of the general strike committee at the I. W. W. hall at 8 o'clock this morning. The session was rather brief. The next meeting of the committee will be held in the new hall at the corner of Market and Hanover streets at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon where it is said that many out of town speakers will be heard. It is also reported that important business will be licensed.

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Saturday, April 6th, is Quarter Day at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

**MEN,** it's just as cheap  
to wear All Silk  
Hose as cotton.

**50c SILK HOSE**

**29c** Four Pairs  
for \$1.00

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Across From City Hall

**INTEREST  
BEGINS**

**Wednesday, April 3**

**SAVINGS DEPARTMENT  
TRADERS NATIONAL BANK**

Hours: 8:30 to 3, Saturdays 8:30  
to 12:30 and 7 to 9 p. m.

If you want help at home or in your  
business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Believing that the system of compelling water takers to pay for the cleaning of water meters used by them is an over-taxation and an injustice, Commissioner Barrett, who has charge of the water department, has decided to abolish the system and after April 1 the users of city water will be relieved of that expense.

"If I intend to abolish the system because I think it works an injustice to the water user," said Commissioner Barrett, "it is not responsible," continued the commissioner, "for the condition of the meter. The fact that it leaks to the meter comes with the water and it is only right and fair that the expense of cleaning the meters should be borne by the water department. If a meter is broken or damaged the user will have to repair it. But a man may have a meter in his

cellar and it may become clogged through no fault of his, and there is no good reason why he should have to stand the expense of cleaning it. The amount received by the city for meter cleaning is about \$2000 a year."

**Fire Department Fines**  
It was stated in The Sun some time ago that Commissioner Barrett had abolished the system of fines in the fire department and the money that went formerly to the different firehouses in which it was collected was diverted to another channel that flows into the city treasury. The amount of fines for the month of February was \$101.50 and that sum has been carefully tucked away in the city treasurer's office. The amount represents the fines collected at the different houses from firemen who failed to properly respond to alarms.

## THREATENED WOMAN

That Is the Charge Against  
Clemento Klutchnik

Clemento Klutchnik was arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on a complaint charging him with intimidating Annie Januska on Thursday and assault and battery on the same person yesterday. It was another of those cases in connection with the strike but owing to

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BOARD OF TRADE  
Addresses Communica-  
tion to Boston Papers

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade it was voted to send a communication to the editors and publishers of the different Boston newspapers relative to the publication of news about the strike situation in this city.

The letter which is self-explanatory, reads as follows:

Lowell, Mass., March 27, 1912.  
Dear Sir: I have been directed by vote of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade to request your assistance in connection with the industrial situation at Lowell.

While we do not wish to have your paper concern any facts, it is supposed that in re-writing matter by telephone many statements are made which arise from a misunderstanding of conditions. The board is not desirous of dictating the way you shall handle this matter, but we respectfully ask in fairness to our city that only facts be published, and that an attempt to magnify circumstances be avoided, as this would undoubtedly be a means of stirring up an already difficult situation.

Lowell is composed of thirty law-abiding inhabitants and our city enjoys an enviable reputation as an ideal industrial center, and we entertain the brightest hopes of an amiable and quick adjustment of our present pending trouble.

Respectfully yours,  
Lowell Board of Trade,  
John H. Murphy, Sec'y.

Secretary Murphy has received very courteous replies from the different papers.

MAN KILLED  
WHILE WALKING TO 'FRISCO ON  
WAGER

BUFFALO, March 30.—C. S. Stone of Boston, walking from that city to 'Frisko was killed by a trolley car on the tracks of the Buffalo & Lake Erie Traction Co., 20 miles west of here early today. In Stone's pockets were found papers indicating that he was making the trip on a wager.

## PALM SUNDAY

WILL BE OBSERVED IN CATHOLIC  
CHURCHES TOMORROW

Tomorrow will be Palm Sunday and the occasion as usual will be observed in a fitting manner in all the Catholic churches of the city. The palms will be blessed previous to high mass and will be distributed to the congregation, after which a procession of the clergy and sanctuary choir boys will be held around the church.

Next week will be Holy Week and accordingly services will be held in the Catholic churches on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings and evenings.

## NOTICE

During the construction of the new Sun building the business office and all departments of The Sun will be located at 115 Paige street, opposite the Free Baptist church. Telephone 269.

## ORDERS

For Men's Suits taken Today and Monday will be  
**READY FOR EASTER**  
If desired. Big line of Suits at \$25.00.  
**M. MARKS CO.**  
Tailors 40 Central St.

YOUNG fellows who like to  
have silk lining in their  
suits can get it today at the  
Merrimack.

**All Silk Lined Suits**  
**\$15**  
worth \$20.  
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Anything that is fit to eat without being troubled by sour stomach, heartburn, nausea, if you take one or two

## Dys-pep-lets

Made only by C. I. HOOD CO.  
The up-to-date digestive tablets. Sugar-coated. 10c, 50c, or \$1 a box. Remember the Name **Dys-pep-lets** Substitute

## NOTICE

Special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All delegates requested to attend. Trade unionists invited.  
Per order,  
**CHAS. E. ANDERSON, Sec.**

HAVE you seen the Home  
Rule Suits at the Merrimack?

If not, it is worth your time to go there today and look them over.

**\$20 to \$25**  
**MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.**  
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# OXFORD VS. CAMBRIDGE

## Big Rowing Contest Today Was Called "No Race"

PUTNEY, England, March 30.—The annual rowing contest between eight-oared crews representing the Oxford and Cambridge universities, which started this forenoon at Putney bridge, was declared a "no race" by the umpire in consequence of both the shells becoming water-logged and sinking. The race is to be rowed again on Monday.

Oxford was robbed of what would have been an easy win by rough weather. The Cambridge shell was the first to go under water a little over a mile from the start. The boat began to ship water soon after the signal was given to start.

The Oxford crew managed to get as far as Chiswick Eyot, about three-quarters of the distance when the boat held so much water that the crew had to stop rowing. Unlike the Cambridge men, however, the Dark Blues, after towing their boat on shore and emptying out the water reentered and finished the course.

Oxford took the lead in the race almost from the start. The Light Blues appeared nervous and hesitated taking in a miniature sea owing to the choppy waves they shipped more water from their oars. By the time they reached Harrod's store, a little over a mile from the start, they were compelled to abandon their boat, which was sinking. The majority of the crew succeeded in swimming ashore and the remainder were picked up by the umpire's boat.

The Oxford crew by beginning the shore kept out of the contest until they reached Chiswick Eyot. There their coach ordered them to bail their shell but they were unable to do so or misunderstood the order. Instead of bailing they went ashore, which is a clear breach of the rules and the umpire's decision that the contest was "no race" was a foregone conclusion.

The official time for the whole course from Putney to Mortlake is given at 23 minutes, 35 seconds, but the Oxford crew had already occupied 15 minutes when their boat was swamped.

### RACE CALLED OFF

PUTNEY, England, March 30.—The annual eight-oared rowing contest between crews representing the Oxford and Cambridge universities, which started this forenoon at Putney bridge, was declared a "no race" after both the shells had become water-logged.

Except for the presence of a strong westerly wind, which baffling experts on the river side estimated would give

an advantage to the crew which won the toss for position and selected the Surrey or southern shore, delightful weather prevailed for the first inter-university boat race.

The course was the usual one from Putney bridge to Mortlake, a distance of 4 1/2 miles. At an early hour the towpaths and other points along the riverbank began to fill with the tens of thousands who annually attend the great aquatic struggle between the selected oarsmen of the two old universities.

While the contending crews had the wind to fight against at some of the more exposed points of the course, for the spectators it could not have been a better morning.

During the early hours there was a slight shower of rain but the sun soon appeared and these on the water and ashore enjoyed fine spring weather.

The Oxford crew, which had been the favorite for some time, even strengthened its position at the last moment. Guy Nicholls and other famous old Blues and other experts were, however, of the opinion that although they considered the Dark Blues the better crew the great odds offered on them were unjustified.

The public was somewhat influenced in favor of the Oxford men because it is C. Bourne had stroked the crew to victory in the three preceding races and it expected him to establish a record by winning a fourth successive race.

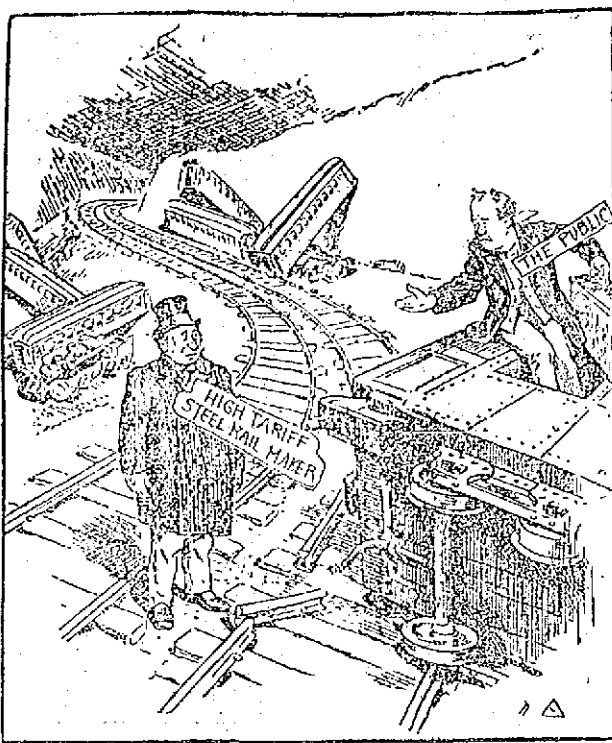
The houseboats on the Surrey shore of Putney bridge were naturally the center of the greatest throngs and the crowd made a bright picture, as every boat sported dark or light blue ribbons.

When the shells were carried down the slips by the crews and placed in the water, the Oxford men could be seen to be a much heavier set than their Light Blue opponents. Their average weight was 175 pounds against the 160 pounds of the Cambridge men.

The toss for position was won by Oxford and the crews then paddled off to the boats moored just above Putney bridge, from which they were to start. Oxford chose the Surrey side.

At the start both crews were soon in difficulties owing to the rough water created by the strong headwinds. Their progress was very slow and both shells were soon more or less water-logged. As they turned the bend off

THE PUBLIC: "HOW MUCH OF THIS ARE YOU RESPONSIBLE FOR?"



Craven cottage matters became worse and the Cambridge crew eventually abandoned the race before half the distance had been covered off Harrod's store.

The Oxford crew continued struggling against the adverse conditions but could make little headway. The boat, however, was far as Chiswick Eyot, nearly three-quarters of the course, when it capsize. The men, however, succeeded in righting their craft and clambered in again. They then paddled along to Mortlake and completed the course but the judges, after consideration, declared the contest "no race."

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Only two more chances to witness the beautiful colored motion pictures of "The Passion Play" at the Opera House, as the engagement will close with this afternoon and evening's performance and an entire new program will be given Sunday afternoon and evening. "The Passion Play" as presented in the Pathé Motion pictures being shown at the Opera House is an interesting and vivid picture story of the life of Christ, and an entertainment that is interesting to child or adult and is so plainly beautiful that the smallest child could understand the sublime story told. At the matinee today the price of admission will be ten cents to all parts of the house and tonight the admission is ten cents, reserved seats twenty cents.

### MONTGOMERY & STONE

Charles Dillingham is the managerial sponsor for the production which excited general comment by reason of its opulence during the long run of "The Old Town" at Mr. Dillingham's new Globe Theatre in New York and long engagements at the Colonial and Boston theatres last year. A cast of superior excellence is promised and as an added feature of the performance "The Old Town" Pony Ballet are introduced in several dance specialties. The engagement of "The Old Town" will surely duplicate its former success of last season as the sale already demonstrates capacity business.

### KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

The headline act at Keith's next week will be E. T. Hawley, the eminent actor and Miss Frances Haight in the celebrated one act tragedy "The Bandit," presented with elaborate scenic effects. The story is thrilling throughout, concluding with a tragic and most impressive climax. Mr. Hawley is one of America's leading character actors and the demand for his services on the vaudeville stage has been constant and continuous and has kept him in vaudeville continuously for several seasons. Miss Haight is a charming and artistic actress. Great attention has been given to the staging of the piece and the scenic effects are striking throughout. Bert Fitzgerald, the daffydill comedian, who is comedy from the top of his head to the tip of his fingers and toes, comes here direct from Keith's Fifth Avenue theatre, New York. Bert is the kid member of the famous comedy trio, Fitzgerald, Mr. Cox and Fitzgerald, being the son and heir of Fitzgerald and Mr. Cox. He was practically born on the comedy stage and has been on it since he was old enough to say funny things. He's a screamer. The Harbors are a high class musical team and their act never fails to please. Chick and Chicklets are a quartet of wonderful bicycle performers. Their act is new and different in a number of respects from any wheel act ever presented here. "The Circle Doll" is a novel feature of their act. The Loretta Twins and company perform on the triple bars. They are fair to behold and do a remarkable and graceful bar act. Russell and Gray have a melange of song and jest which drives dull care away. Gertrude Pike is a singer of comedy songs and a big hit. Reinhardt is a cartoonist who does lightning work in color. An exceptionally strong bill is offered for tomorrow's concert. Among the features are Murray and Lane's grand opera sextet, Belle and Richards in a delightful musical act, Joyce and Donnelly, Laving and Bennett and others.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Next week is farewell week for our Stock company at the Merrimack Square theatre. This announcement will, no doubt, be met with a feeling of keen disappointment by the hosts of followers that have applauded at the shrine of this most popular little band of artists, for 31 successful weeks. And now that it has been decided, and next week is going to be farewell week, the management has planned to give a revival of the two most successful plays in our Stock company's repertoire, namely, "What Money Can Buy," for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "The Choice." In both pieces Miss Constance Jackson and Mr. Kendall Weston will be seen. So don't forget to attend at least one of the other of the sketches before "Good Bye, Noddy," which will be Saturday evening, April 6.

On the same bill is another act

which deserves special mention, billed as Fennell & Tyson. This clever pair, who, by the way, are not long across, have an act that is said to be one of the best singing and dancing acts in vaudeville. It is brimful of new up to date comedy and with no doubt, please Miss Alice Duncan known as "The Green Cal from Greenville," is a comedienne with an act which gives splendid opportunity to display her talent as a singer and artist and as Alice has never failed to "put it over" she will probably be one of the hits on next week's bill. Then we have Auriana, a female impersonator who is said to compare favorably with America's foremost in that line. Auriana sings some of the most popular ballads, is a graceful dancer and wears a \$1000 costume that has been the envy of the ladies. There are also the photo-plays which will be new and of the

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A spring tonic is admittedly a good thing at this season of the year, but a hearty laugh sometimes accomplishes more good, and the show at the Academy this week is put together with the idea of creating laughter. Clifton and Carson in a crazy comedy sketch, but including some clever cartooning, follow closely to the Hatfield Stock company in a roaring comedy entitled "Mat Look at Him!" Eddie LeRoux, as the "silly kid," Katharine Jennings, sings "Fairy Queen." There are good motion pictures and illustrated songs so to make up the balance of the show.

### COHEN ASSAULTED ATTACKED BY FOUR YOUNG MEN IN HIS SHOP

MEDFORD, March 30.—Morris Cohen who conducts a shoe repairing shop on the first floor of the building at 423 Main street, So. Medford, was beaten by four young men in his place of business about 8:30 last evening. The identity of his assailants has not been established and the police, after a

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DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Maine



OFFICE OF THE SUPPLY DEPT.  
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supply Department, until 10 a. m., Wednesday, April 3, 1912, for furnishing the following supplies:

Reg. 53,681. School Department.  
1000 pkgs. Examination Paper, 8 in. x 10 1/2 in. Quality and ruling of sample at Supply Office. 10 lbs. to each package. Packaged 500 sheets each package, securely wrapped and marked "Examination Paper."  
To be delivered at School Supply Dept. City Hall.  
Reg. 53,670. Water Works Dept.  
18 tons Soft Western Pig Lead. Make, name, what Money Can Buy. To be delivered to O. B. Lowell, Mass. All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.  
EDWARD H. FOYE, Purchasing Agent.  
JAMES E. DONNELLY, Commissioner of Finance.  
Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1912

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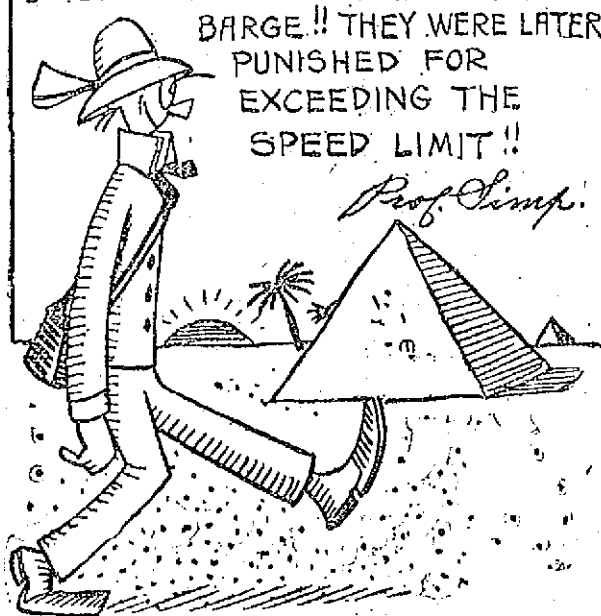
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## PROF. SIMP'S STATISTICS.

THE ORIGIN OF THE "JOY-RIDE" IS LOST IN ANTIQUITY!! MY RESEARCHES PLACE THE FIRST AUTHENTICATED RIDE IN 000 B.C. WHEN MARC ANTHONY AND CLEOPATRA HIT IT UP IN THEIR 90 HORSE-POWER LIMOUSINE GALLEY

BARGE!! THEY WERE LATER PUNISHED FOR EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT!!



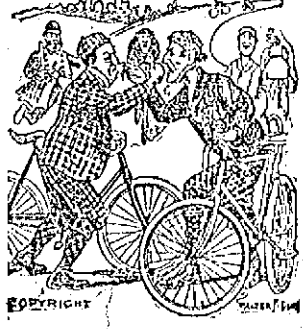
## Bell and Wing

By FREDERICK FANNING AYER

Absorbing, astounding, inspiring, baffling.—London Academics.  
Power and originality.—Cork Examiner.  
A great work.—Boston Herald.  
Marks of genius constantly.—Troy Record.  
A wealth of ideas.—Boston Transcript.  
Genuine aspiration and power.—Occult Review, England.  
Near the stars.—Portland Oregonian.  
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GEO. H. BACHELDER P. O. SQUARE.

## MURDERER OF BOY

Is Now Believed to be a Local Degenerate Youth

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 30.—With additional clues to guide them the police continued their efforts to find the murderer of 12-year-old William Mathers, Jr., with confidence that they would be able to arrest the slayer of the boy before the day was over. Chief George P. Willis reiterated his claim today that he knew the boy who committed the murder, knew where he was and was only waiting to secure more uncontroverted evidence before causing an arrest.

There is a difference of opinion regarding the motive for the crime but the theory that the boy, who was killed by a degenerate only a few years his senior seemed to be more largely accepted by the townspeople than the first supposition that he was murdered for the possession of a new dollar watch. The fact that a boy of the neighborhood had twice been caught enticing children into the patch of woods in which the murdered boy's body was found and had attempted to assault them is stated to bear out the pervert theory.

The theory that William Mathers was killed by a degenerate is scouted by the boy's parents, who believe that he was murdered for the watch.

Mrs. Lillian Dubuque took strenuous objection today to the examination of her son, who is 15 years old, in connection with the case. She had a spirited argument with Special Constable Lefebvre on the subject. The Dubuque boy is said to have told several conflicting stories, first saying that he was with the Mathers boy on the night he disappeared and then declaring that he didn't know the boy at all. Because of this fact the police have been keeping young Dubuque under surveillance.

### ELEANOR SEARS

IS MAKING A WALK OF 115 MILES

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—Eleanor Sears of Boston had completed early today more than half of a 115 mile walk from Burlington to Delmont. She is trying to break a record established some years ago by an Englishman. Miss Sears is accompanied by a professional pedestrian and boy's parents, who believe that he was murdered for the watch.

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THE TOILETINE CO., 1306 HOPE ST., GREENFIELD, MASS.

### STRIKERS RETURN

Trouble in Shoe Factory Ended

LAWRENCE, March 30.—In accordance with the agreement yesterday between the striking employees of the Alfred Kimball shoe factory and the management all returned to work today. The terms of the settlement was said to be satisfactory to both sides.

### TIMOTHY COAKLEY

WAS RELEASED FROM BOSTON STATE HOSPITAL

BOSTON, March 30.—Timothy W. Coakley, the Boston lawyer and orator sent to Boston state hospital at the instance of Chief Justice Alton and Justice Chase for observation as to his sanity, was discharged from the hospital yesterday afternoon and will today resume his law practice.

With Dr. Edward B. Lane, one of the physicians who examined him, Miss Annie Coakley, his sister, and a few acquaintances, Mr. Coakley left the hospital about 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon and went to his home in South Boston.

The three doctors who examined Mr. Coakley reported to Judges Grant and George in the probate court yesterday noon that they found no proof that at present he is insane and that they could not sign or file a certificate asking for commitment of the patient.

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## RODDY AND GODDARD

## Lowell Men Will Appear in B. A. A. Marathon, April 19

Lowell will be well represented at the annual B. A. A. Marathon to be held from Ashland to the B. A. A. club house, Exeter street, Boston, on April 19. At the present time two Lowell men have sent in their entrance blanks.



CHRISTOPHER RODDY.



GEORGE GODDARD.

too, Goddard covered the distance, running beside Roddy the entire distance. Since then both men have been training hard and they expect to make a good showing in the race April 19. Wednesday of this week Goddard ran from Lakewood to the corner of Bridge and First streets in 25 minutes. Last fall while working in Pelham Young Goddard every evening would run from there to his home in this city. This is a distance of seven miles and the runs gave him great practice. He has kept in condition all the time. Roddy has done most of his training on the North common and yesterday he and Goddard ran ten miles on the track there. Both were in good condition at the end of the run. Tomorrow the two men will ride to Hudson, N. H., and run back to this city.

NO CELLAR BERTH FOR BOSTON NATIONALS THIS SEASON

JOHNNY KLING  
PHOTO BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

BOSTON, March 30.—"Those wise licks who are predicting a cellar berth for the Boston Nationals are going to be rudely jolted this season," says Manager Johnny Kling. The new leader of the Braves claims that he has a better team than most believe. The catching department is well looked af-

ter, the infield is very nifty, while the suburban trio is one of the best in the league. The only weak spot—and not a very weak one at that—is the pitching staff. Kling says he has landed a couple of promising twirlers. So this will brace up the box department of the club. It is a good base running and batting club.

ing well. He will remain here for a few weeks and the members may have an opportunity to see him in action during his stay here. In recognition of holy week there will be no meeting of the club next Friday.

THE "WIDEAWAKES"  
Took Game From the "Sleepyheads"

Two teams of young ladies from the Lawrence box shop, known as the "Wideawakes" and the "Sleepyheads," met on Lee Miserables alley last night and enjoyed the sport, with the results that the "five ones" won two strings and the total.

On the Moody Bridge alleys the C. M. A. C. took all the points from the Druggists in the Moody Bridge league series.

The Merrimack repair shop team took everything from the Swift Machine shop team in an interesting game last night.

The Lamson company team won all the points from the C. Y. M. L. team on the Crescent alleys last night.

At the Brunswick alleys the Monks took three strings and the total from the Tremont and Suffolk team.

Wideawakes				
	1	2	3	Totals
T. Jacques	51	55	55	261
M. Brian	47	53	51	251
E. Fraiser	55	53	51	259
J. Halberd	53	53	53	259
B. Bailey	65	51	55	271
A. Simenau	41	75	65	281
Totals	331	396	405	1132

Sleepyheads				
	1	2	3	Totals
J. Silcox	50	53	72	275
R. Simonau	50	56	43	249
R. Jacques	51	41	64	256
B. Carpenter	67	65	55	287
D. Brien	57	50	56	263
N. Harwood	38	65	79	282
Totals	353	367	389	1089

C. M. A. C.				
	1	2	3	Totals
McDermott	80	109	84	273
Cote	78	83	98	259
Mullin	55	92	87	234
L. Herreux	103	83	82	268
Pigeon	81	89	90	260
Totals	426	456	441	1323

Druggists				
	1	2	3	Totals
Ledoux	88	90	86	264
Dubois	78	84	88	250
Fortier	75	83	79	237
Lavallan	87	75	89	251
Caluso	103	95	80	278
Totals	432	425	416	1273

Merrimack Repair Shop				
	1	2	3	Totals
Boudon	90	91	87	268
Watson	101	93	83	277
Clark	95	83	87	265
Brown	92	92	96	280
Chapman	93	91	97	281
Totals	466	450	455	1371

Swift Machine Shop				
	1	2	3	Totals
Phil	87	89	86	262
MacK	80	90	89	259
Nap	80	89	88	257
Greene	91	93	87	271
Davis	87	89	91	267
Totals	441	440	444	1325

C. Y. M. L.				
	1	2	3	Totals
Murphy	65	93	86	244
C. Flynn	97	80	86	263
M. Fleming	98	93	71	262
J. Jofolin	76	79	87	242
Totals	407	422	418	1247

Lamson Co.				
	1	2	3	Totals
Grant	92	70	78	240
Blumhrey	74	95	83	252
Jackson	82	89	82	253
Feyler	88	82	89	259
McDonald	92	96	103	291
Totals	438	441	435	1314

Tremont & Suffolk				
	1	2	3	Totals
French	90	87	85	262
Kenney	80	106	87	273
Sabra	81	85	73	240
Lebourdals	83	85	80	248
Jordis	82	91	85	258
Totals	422	455	410	1287

Monks				
	1	2	3	Totals
Quinn	74	53	52	279
Corbett	73	59	99	291
Cardin	79	89	95	263
Callahan	109	104	76	289
Curry	50	55	84	219
Totals	415	460	433	1308

## OFFICERS CHOSEN

BY N. E. CONFERENCE OF THE EVANGELICAL ASSOCIATION

At the New England Conference of the Evangelical association yesterday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. J. E. Taylor, president; Rev. F. L. Stevens, treasurer; Rev. D. W. Stadfield, secretary.

The afternoon session was occupied with the business of the New England conference. The reports of the retiring officers were read and approved and the following were elected as presiding elders for the coming year: Rev. F. L. Stevens and Rev. C. A. Doty.

The evening session was opened with a praise service following which Rev. D. W. Stadfield preached a revival sermon. At the close of the sermon Rev. J. P. Irving conducted the after meeting.

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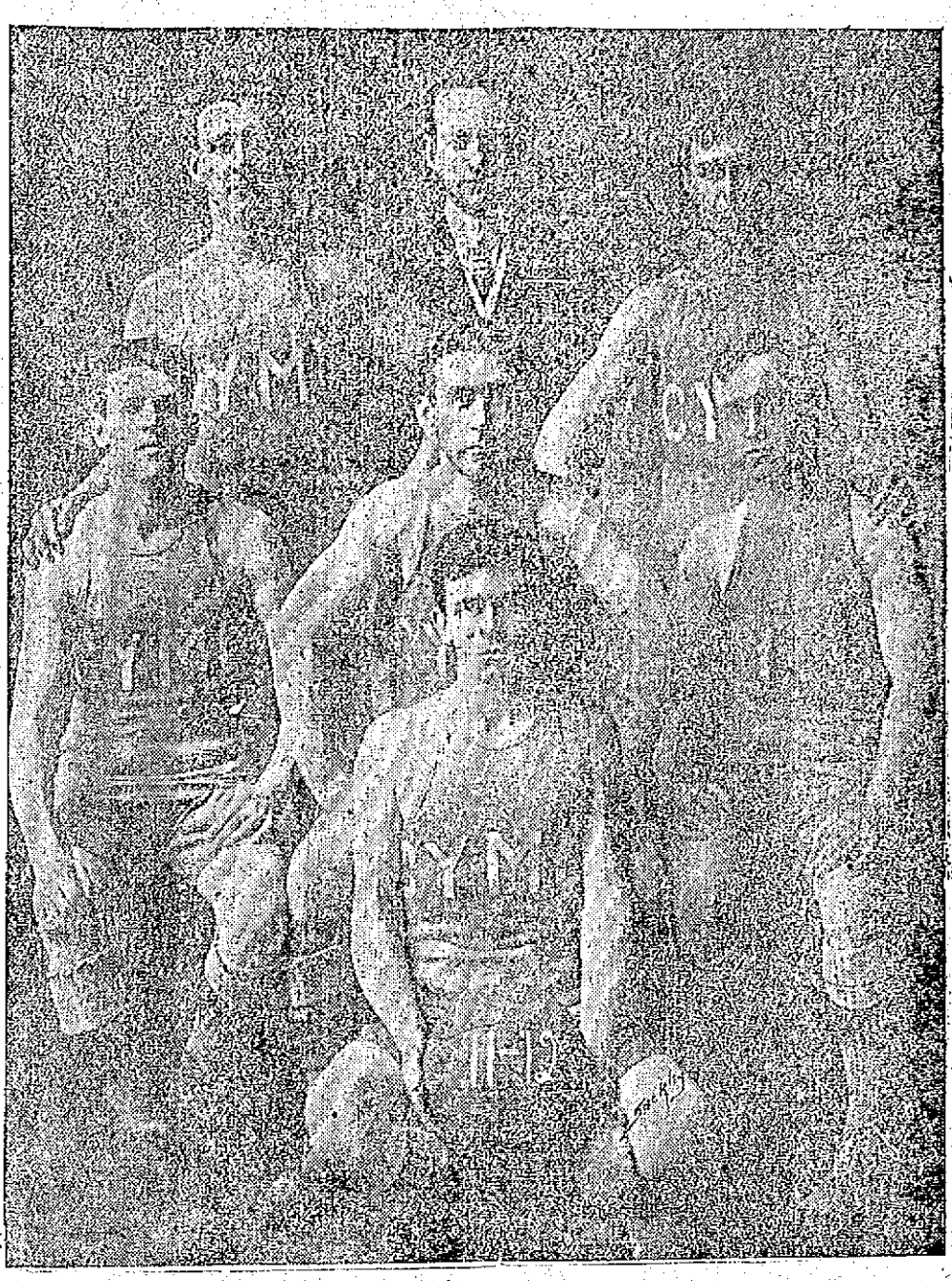


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THE C. Y. M. L. BASKETBALL TEAM

Back row—Paul Fawcette, centre; Edward Quinn, manager; Louis Florey, utility. Middle row—Charles Flynn, forward; Thomas Maloney, forward; Edward Brennan, back. Front row—Fred Flynn, captain and back.

The above cut shows the members of the C. Y. M. L. basketball team who have represented the Lycium on the floor for the past five years with great success. This year, the record of the team is one of the best since it was formed and they now claim the championship of the city. The team has played many games this season in this city and out of town and has shown great ability in all. Of the recent games played here the one with the Mysteries of Centralville was the most exciting seen here in a long time. The team is being ably managed this season by Edward Quinn, who is well acquainted with all angles of the game. He has several other games on his schedule to be played. In all games that the team has appeared

## THE MICHIGAN GIANT

## Was Severely Punished by Jim Savage Last Night

NEW YORK, March 30.—Al Kubiak and Jim Savage boxed 20 fast and furious rounds to a draw at the Longacre A. A. last night. Kubiak scored three knockdowns, one in the second, one in the fourth and one in the fifth round, but between times Savage gave the Michigan giant a terrific whaling. Kubiak weighed 213 pounds and Savage 176 pounds.

In the first round both men battered each other with heavy body masses. In the second Kubiak slammed over a right to the jaw and Jim fell to his face, striking his head on the floor. He got up at the count of eight and sailed into Kubiak.

After that Savage cut Kubiak's nose and mouth and closed his right eye, besides putting up the left optic. In the fourth Kubiak dropped Savage with a right to the temple. Jim got up at the count of nine and stalled through the round.

In the fifth, with everything going in Savage's favor, Kubiak slipped over a left to the stomach and down went James for the third time. But he came back at the count of seven and was working hard at the bell.

NEW YORK, March 30.—"Batling" Reddy and Barry Hill boxed 10 fast rounds last night at the New Polo A. C. in Harlem and at the end Reddy was entitled to the decision, having won the better of the five sessions, while the other five were even.

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Jack O'Brien of the American A. C. last night announced from the ring that he will give Jack Johnson \$10,000 to box Joe Jeannette six rounds at his club.

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Young Ernie had little trouble in beating Young Jack O'Brien at the American A. C. last night. Ernie's greater experience, better generalship and hard hitting abilities made the bout an easy one for him.

CLEVELAND, March 30.—Barring Attila's humiliation by Kibbanc, this seems the era of the "old man" in pugilism. Last night at the Cleveland Athletic club Unholz, who is not by any means young, forced his way into a decision over Kid Alberts, a clean-cut juvenile from Elizabeth, N. J., in 10 rounds.

Alberts was punished very little, but the experienced German made the contest by his leading and he outpointed his opponent decidedly. Alberts might have won if he would have hit Unholz, but the wise old Boer wouldn't let him.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Jimmy Walsh of Boston has been selected by Joe Coster in the second round of the featherweight elimination tournament at the Empire A. C. on April 10. Tommy Hancock and Johnny Dundee will be the principals in the other 16-round bout on the same evening, and the winners will be matched to meet in the final round about a week later.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 30.—Sammy Trot of Columbus outpointed Billy Connors of Youngstown in their 12-round bout at the Auditorium last night. Connors managed to remain on his feet, Connors, whose ring experience is limited, showed ability to take punishment. In the ninth round he came back strong but was unable to

## HENRY BAILEY

Chosen Capt. of High School Track Team

By a vote of the "L" men Henry Bailey was chosen captain of the high school track team for next season. Bailey is a very clever athlete and has been seen to good advantage in the football as well as track line during the past few seasons. The only other candidate for the captaincy of the team was Bowers, the 1000 yard man who is a sophomore this year. Bailey will graduate next year, hence the choice fell to him. The latter will also manage the school baseball team this season.

Capt. Edward Carley of the baseball team announces that the baseball practice will be started indoors on Monday. There is a large list of candidates and the captain expects that the team this year will be a good one. The teachers and the students will make an effort to put baseball to the front this year. While the teams representing the school in the past years have been very strong, they did not prove successful financially.

TEXTILE SCHOOL NEWS

Mr. John Shambow '13, now connected with the Shambow Shuttle Co., visited the school on Thursday.

Osborne McArthur '13 has returned to school after an absence of three weeks on account of sickness.

Ernest Wood '11, now travelling for a Worcester chemical concern, paid a visit to the school on Wednesday.

James Murray, of Lawrence, a member of the sophomore class, was suddenly seized with severe pains in the stomach on Friday. Murray was given medical aid and carried to the railroad station in a cab. His condition is reported as serious.

## BOSTON BOXERS

## Failed to Put in an Appearance

The bouts scheduled for the Lowell Social and Athletic club last night were called off, owing to the non-appearance of the Boston boxers. Three of the men who were signed were not in attendance at the time of the starting of the meeting. The other advertised men were there and Tommy Plannigan informed the president of the club that he saw the Boston boxers at the station when he came through. He said that he spoke to one of them and that he said he was not coming as his manager told him

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# A MONSTER PARADE

## To Escort Returning Children of Strikers From Depot

LAWRENCE, March 30.—A monster demonstration in celebration of the recent victory of the textile strikers and to welcome home the 350 children who were cared for in New York, Philadelphia, Manchester and Barre, Vt., during the struggle, was planned for late today. Twenty thousand mill workers were to parade.

The children were expected to reach here on the afternoon train from Boston. Upon their arrival the mill operatives will start their parade of the principal streets of the city. Included among the marchers, it was said, would be 1000 Lowell textile strikers. The parade was to end on the Common, from which place the Lowell strikers were to be escorted to the Franco-Belgian hall for dinner.

# THE COAL OPERATORS

## Will Confer With Miners' Committee Again

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Another meeting of the anthracite operators and the committee of the miners, the date of which will be set today, has given rise to hopes that a settlement of wages and other questions will be amicably reached and that the suspension of work in the hard coal region that commences on April 1 will be of short duration.

The settlement of the difficulties in the bituminous region, it was said here today, will strengthen the position of the hard coal miners in case of a strike, as they would receive financial support from the soft coal men who would be at work.

### FUNERALS

FITZPATRICK.—The funeral of the late Margaret A. Fitzpatrick, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Belvidere, took place this morning from her home, 78 Fort Hill avenue. The remains were taken to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 10 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Fox, O. M. I. Rev. John J. McHugh, of St. Patrick's

church, assisted at the service within the sanctuary. At the mass was a large gathering of sorrowing relatives and friends including many of the older families of North Belvidere, where the deceased formerly resided, and friends from Boston, Georgetown and Penobscot. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered the Gregorian plain chant. At the offertory Mr. William P. Gaskin sang Loybeck's beautiful "Pie Jesu." After the elevation, "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by John J. Dalton. At the conclusion of the service, the Libera was sung, Mrs. Hugh Walker sustaining the solo, and as the casket was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by Edward P. Shea, assisted by the choir. The ushers at the home and church were: Dr. Joseph P. Kearney, John P. Boulger, Charles P. Smith and Charles Fitzpatrick. The casket was borne by Hon. John F. Mehan and Messrs. George P. Greene, John Garrahan, James Donovan, William Gannon and John Murningham. The interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where services at the grave were conducted by Fr. Fox, assisted by Fr. McHugh. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter Davoy. A wealth of floral tributes bore fragrant testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased was held and among the floral offerings were the following: Pillow, inscribed "Sister," from family of deceased; cross on base inscribed "Cousin," from Daniel, Margaret and Annie Fitzpatrick; wreath, John S. Welch and John H. Murningham; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Flood; crescent, Lizzie, Edna, and Hannah Gannon of Belvidere; basket, Mr. Bernard Kearney and family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Garrahan; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kearney, Belvidere; spray, Mrs. Fitzpatrick and family; spray, The Misses Fitzgerald; spray, Mr. John Boulger; spray, W. S. Ellis of Boston; wreath on base inscribed "Sweet Rest in Heaven," Hon. James B. Connelley and family; wreath on base, Charles P. Smith and sister; wreath, Hon. and Mrs. John P. Mehan; wreath, Daniel P. Bresnahan of Penobscot; spray, Mrs. J. J. McManmon; spray, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Connor; spray of white roses and English violets, from the Misses Shane of Boston; spray, Katherine McQuade; spray, William J. Lane and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunn; spray, Mr. Morrison and family; spray, Margaret Harrington; spray, Robert Shepard and family; cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knapp; spray, Donovan family; wreath of white roses, Davoy family; spray, William Gannon and family; spray, Mrs. Susan Murphy; spray, Misses Maxwell and family of Belvidere; spray, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Coyle; spray, Mrs. V. E. Willmot; mound, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hanson; spiritual bouquet, Miss Rose Gosselin; spiritual bouquet,

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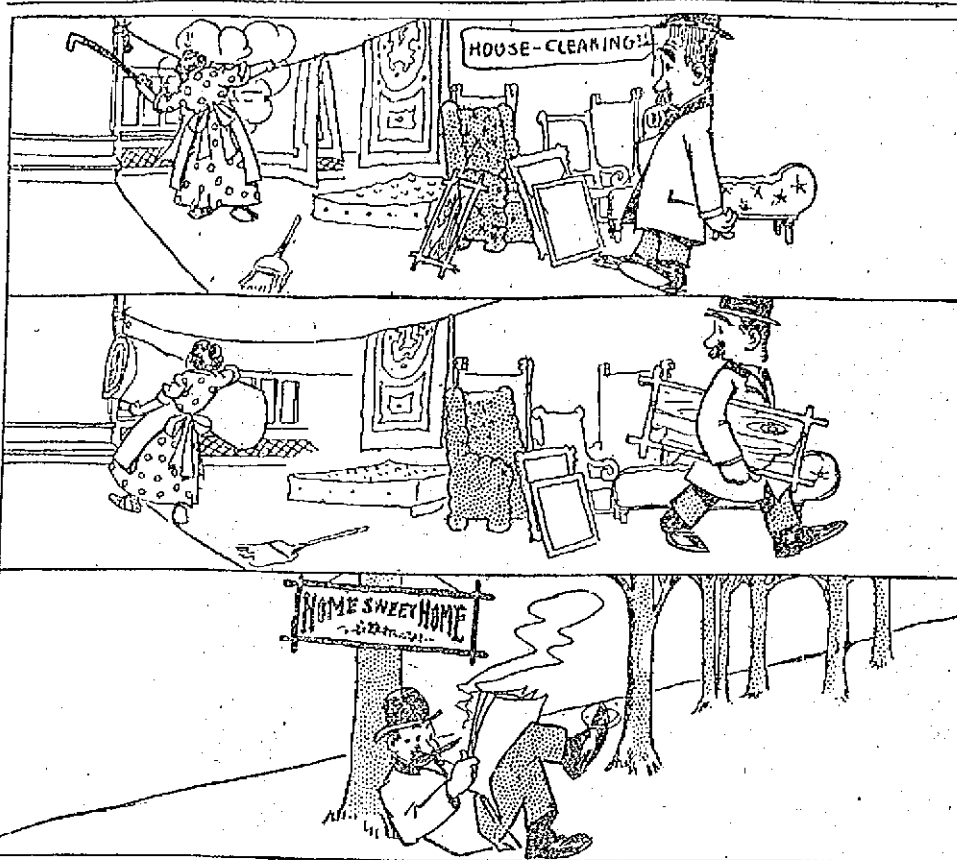
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PETELLE.—The funeral of Mrs. Regis Petelle, nee Aurelie Gervais, widow of the late Regis Petelle, took place yesterday at 2.45 o'clock from the rooms of Undertaker Archambault in Merrimack street. At 3 o'clock a funeral mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Fr. Denizol, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Frank Goudeau sang the Gregorian mass, Miss Elodie Chaplainne presiding at the organ. The bearers were Joseph Guay, Omer Deziel, Ludger Leclerc and J. B. Plour of Quincy. There were many out of town relatives at the funeral, including Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Picard of Quincy, Miss Priscilla Petelle of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petelle of New York City, Miss Della Petelle of Salem, Mrs. W. Laviole of Providence. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral was officiating at the grave, Rev. Fr. Baron officiating at the grave. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Amodeo Archambault.

MATTHEWS.—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Matthews, who died in Plainfield, New York, took place from the chapel in the Edison cemetery yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Fr. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham Street P. M. church, and the bearers were Messrs. Walter Alder, Wallace Alder, William Klock and Frank Cox. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

RYDER.—The funeral of Mrs. Currier

read the prayers at the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MEGAS.—Evanthea Megas, child of Antonios and Panagiotis died this morning at the Lowell corporation hospital, aged 6 days. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock from the chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy on Market street. Services were held in the Greek Orthodox church at 9.15 by Rev. C. H. Demetriy. The burial was in the Edison cemetery where Fr. Demetriy read the prayers at the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

BROWN.—The funeral of Edwin A. Brown, aged 67 years, who died in New York city on Wednesday, took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertaker C. M. Young in Prescott street. Services were held, Rev. Fr. A. Macdonald officiating. The interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

CROSS.—Died, in Dracut, March 29, at his home in Hildreth street, John Cross, aged 73 years. 1 month and 22 days. Strictly private funeral services will be held from the home of his son, Mr. Charles F. Cross, 277 Summer street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are requested to omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOBBS.—Died, in North Chelmsford, March 28, John C. Hobbs, aged 75 years and 29 days. Funeral services will be held at the late home in Wright street, North Chelmsford, at one o'clock. Friends are invited. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Walter Porham.

FLYNN.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Agnes B. Flynn will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 55 State street. Solemn high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOGAN.—The funeral of the late William Hogan will be held Monday at 8 o'clock from his late home, 4 Amherst street, North Chelmsford. High mass of requiem at St. John's church, North Chelmsford, at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

SMITH.—The funeral of the late William H. Smith will take place from the funeral parlors of C. M. Young in Prescott street tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited.

PHILBRICK.—In Ayer, March 29, Frederick G. Philbrick, aged 77 years. Funeral services will be held Monday at 12 o'clock at St. Andrew's Episcopal church. Private burial in Old English cemetery, Lowell. The funeral will be under the direction of J. A. Welchbeck.

### DEATHS

DUMONT.—John J. Dumont, a well known young man of Centerville, died this morning at his home, No. 100 West 32nd street, after a lingering illness. He was 33 years of age. He is survived by his wife, Catherine McGuane Dumont, and three children, Harold, Hazel and Joseph; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. David Dumont, and four sisters, Henrietta, Mary, Emily and Eva Dumont. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

HOGAN.—William Hogan, well known in this city, died this morning at his home, 4 Amherst street, North Chelmsford, aged 55 years. Deceased was for 36 years a second hand in the Tremont & Suffolk mills. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Annie Hogan, and one sister, Mrs. Michael Mahoney, the latter of Lowell.

SMITH.—William H. Smith, aged 71 years and 10 months, died Thursday at the soldiers' home in Chelsea. He is survived by one son, William H. Smith, Jr., of London, Ontario, and one daughter, Mrs. Grace Murphy of Stamford, Conn. The deceased was a member of Post 185, G. A. R.

PHILBRICK.—Frederick G. Philbrick died yesterday at his home in Ayer, aged 77 years. Death was very sudden, and will be a great shock to his many friends. Mr. Philbrick has lived in Ayer for 25 years and has been active in both church and business affairs. He leaves one brother, Charles H. Philbrick, a nephew, Albert R. of Lowell and two nieces, Mrs. Clarence N. Childs and Mrs. Fred C. Austin.

FLYNN.—Stephen Flynn, wife of City Clerk Flynn, died yesterday at her home, 55 State street, aged 31 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by four children, John, Peter, Ellen and Agnes. Margaret, her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connolly of Ottawa, Canada; four brothers, Patrick, Peter, Joseph and James; also three sisters, Nellie, Eliza, both and Alice Connolly. Mrs. Flynn was well and favorably known throughout the city, and the news of

# WARREN MILL STRIKE

## Prospect of Long Period of Idleness in the Mills

WEST WARREN, March 30.—The prospect of a long period of idleness, due to the strike of 1200 textile operatives at the three local mills of the Thorndike company, has resulted in the departure of more than 200 mill workers within the past few days. Some of the operatives have gone to other textile centers to seek employment, while a large number have started to return to their former homes in Poland. In some of the New England cotton manufacturing cities and towns a shortage of help has been reported. The agent of a manufacturing company with factories in Rhode Island has been here endeavoring to secure help for his mill but it is understood the strikers did not seem satisfied with the inducements offered by him. A meeting of the strikers was arranged to be held here sometime during the day.

# HEIR TO A FORTUNE

## Pittsfield Man Died in Poverty at Toledo, Ohio

TOLEDO, O., March 30.—The body of a man who was known as Duggan prior to his death, one month ago, has been identified in the morgue as George Chamberlain of Pittsfield, Mass., for whom relatives have been seeking for 25 years. It develops that Chamberlain has an estate of \$5000, which his relatives have sought to turn over to him. Chamberlain was taken from a lodging house one month ago and died in a local hospital.

her death will come as a sad blow to her many friends.

LAUZIERE.—Arthur Lauziere, aged 19 years, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 650 Middlesex street. He leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lauziere, and three brothers, Joseph, Antonio and Zoltique Lauziere.

PATERSON.—John D. Paterson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Paterson of Pittsburg, formerly of Lowell, died Thursday in the Fairbank hospital. Besides his parents he leaves four sisters, Mrs. S. Murray and the Misses Jeannette and Mae Paterson and Mrs. R. G. Carlson of Lowell. He was 13 years, 9 months and 23 days old.

Save your money: begin now: open an account. The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

### C. B. COBURN CO.

SENDS CHECK FOR \$100 TO THE FIREMEN

Chief E. S. Hosmer of the Lowell fire department has received the following self-explanatory letter from the C. B. Coburn Co.:

Mr. E. S. Hosmer, Chief, Lowell Fire Dept., Lowell, Mass.  
Dear Sir:—Enclosed please find check for \$100.00 to be added as our contribution to the Lowell Firemen's Relief Fund. This sum is given in spirit of appreciation of the way the fire in our store, Market street, was handled last Wednesday morning, by your department.

Much credit is due to you and your men, not only in the handling of the blaze, but also in getting the water out of the building after the fire. We fully appreciate that much water was necessary in fighting this fire and we believe perfect judgment was used in handling the many lines of hose.

Again expressing our full appreciation of your efficient department, we are  
Very truly yours,  
C. B. Coburn Co.  
Frederic W. Coburn,  
General Manager.

## CHILD HAD ECZEMA CRYING ALL NIGHT

Scratched and It Became Sores and Raw, Had to Tie Her Hands. Tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Gave Relief that Night and Cured Her.

74 Dover St., Boston, Mass. — "My little girl had eczema very bad. It came out on the forehead, back and hips in little red blisters and the child was crying all night. She scratched it and it became sore and raw, and then came little plaques on the forehead, making it very bad and causing disfigurement all over her face. It was the night that was the worst because she would scratch so bad we had to tie her hands. We were afraid of blood poisoning. It caused an awful pain when she scratched it. I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment and it did no good. I did so for about three weeks, and then I was told about the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I tried it and it gave relief that night. I used to wash the places with water and Cuticura Soap and then put the Cuticura Ointment on. I did it three months and it completely cured her. I shall always keep the Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the house at all times. They are the best." (Signed) Mrs. Rena Oliver, Nov. 12, 1911.

### SCALP TROUBLE FOR MONTHS

Dandruff and Hair Falling Out Badly.  
327 Madison St., New York City. — "For months I was troubled with my scalp. I first noticed it by dandruff on my collar and my hair falling out badly. I tried many shampoos and dandruff removers with no results. Having heard of the good done by Cuticura Soap and Ointment, I resolved to try them. I did this for several nights and now my hair is fully recovered. I have an excellent growth of hair." (Signed) D. L. Goldberg, Sept. 11, 1911.  
Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere. Sample of each mailed free, without cost, to you. Address, Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston. Tender-foot men should shave with Cuticura Soap shaving stick.



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## SMOOT PENSION BILL

Was Passed by the United States Senate

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The senate last night by a vote of 51 to 16 rejected the Smoot pension bill which had passed the house, and enacted the Smoot general age and service pension bill, which it is estimated will increase the pension roll by \$20,000,000 annually during the next five years.

The bill requires beneficiaries to have served 30 days and provides pensions ranging from \$15 to \$30 a month, instead of a 50 day minimum and \$15 to \$30 pension as in the house measure. The senate added provisions that should prohibit attorneys' fees and would grant \$30 a month to former soldiers disabled by service, wounds or disease. The latter provision will add \$2,500,000 to the annual outlay under the bill.

The entire negative vote on the final passage of the bill was cast by democratic senators from southern states. The northern democrats voted with the republicans for the bill.

During the debate Senator Overman's reference to the burdens of the southern people because of pension legislation prompted a tart reply by Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan. "I remind the senator that this entire pension burden could have been avoided by the south if it had been loyal to the union," said he. "I cannot remain silent and hear senators from the south complain of burdens our government has been called upon to bear because of your unwillingness to live with us under the same flag and in a united country."

## YOUNG'S PIER BURNED

Fire at Atlantic City Causes Loss of \$250,000

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 30.—Young's ocean pier, one of the big features along the sea front of this resort was destroyed by fire early today. One of the firemen who fell through a roof was injured.

The pier was about 2,500 feet long. The whole structure with the exception of about 150 feet at the shore end was completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$250,000 and is only partly covered by insurance.

The fire was one of the most spectacular in this city in years and created tremendous excitement among the guests of the many hotels in the vicinity. Fortunately the wind was off shore, which prevented the flames from creeping toward the board walk and spreading to the big hotels along the ocean front.

The flames were discovered shortly after midnight or about an hour after a vaudeville performance in the theatre on the pier came to a close. The fire started in one of the dressing rooms and was probably caused either by a lighted cigarette or crossed electric light wires. Before the watchman could sound an alarm, the fire spread to the stage and then the land breeze carried it out toward the sea.

The bowling alley pavilion and skating rink were attacked and then the flames spread to the marine ballroom. While the flames were traveling toward the end of the pier the fire spread throughout the theatre and the firemen worked to prevent the flames from reaching the board walk.

In the meantime the guests of several hotels to the south and in the nearby beach streets were busy in getting their belongings together. Some of the more timid made hasty departures but they returned when they learned that the firemen had the flames well in hand.

While the firemen were holding the flames at the land end of the pier the fire at the other end rapidly spread before the wind and continued its way until the fish nets at the end of the structure were reached.

During the progress of the fire six firemen were injured.

The fire was under control at 5 a. m. The pier, along with Young's hotel at Tennessee avenue and the board walk recently passed into the control of J. E. Stevens, Jr., of New York. The price paid is said to have been \$1,000.

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## GETS A DIVORCE

Court Finds in Favor of Dr. Heims

BOSTON, March 30.—Dr. Henry Heims was granted a divorce nisi against Irma Blanche Wright Heims by Judge Quinn at the close of the week session of Divorce court yesterday, on the ground of intoxication. The judge dismissed the wife's libel for non-support and cruel and abusive treatment.

About 140 cases were tried at this session and decisions were given yesterday in all but two of three, which will come later.

A decree nisi was granted Mrs. Grace M. Jones against Robert R. Jones on the ground of infidelity. He is a writer of songs. They were married in Clayton, O., in 1905, and lived in Boston. Mrs. Jones was allowed to resume her maiden name.

Mrs. Ethel S. Whitten was given a decree nisi against Robert C. Whitten on the ground of infidelity. Mr. Whitten is a singer in church choirs and concerts. The co-respondent was also a singer and lived in Dorchester.

Mr. Whitten was represented at the trial only on the question of alimony.

In the case of Robert T. Dalton against his wife, Helen M. Dalton, which was an action for the custody of three children, and came up on appeal from a decision of Judge Grant of the probate court, who granted the custody of the children to the father, Judge Quinn reaffirmed the lower court's decision.

Mrs. Dalton testified yesterday her husband had threatened to kill her. She admitted knowing a man by the name of "Jack" Johnson and admitted the lived in Cambridge and Revere under the name of Mrs. Johnson, but explained that she used that name so that her brother could not find her and ask her for loans she could not give him.

President Marrow says that he found that Manager Lush gave out the schedule, but that Lush was ignorant of the fact that there was a penalty for doing so. However, Mr. Marrow could find no way to avoid finding the Montreal club guilty as he held it guilty of the offense.

BEST CASTOFFS FOR GRAYS NEW ORLEANS, March 30.—The Detroit youngsters, whom Manager Jennings may see fit to discard before reaching the home lot, cannot hope to become Providence Grays. "If a man isn't good enough to stick with us while we are playing with clubs of the smaller leagues in the south and enroute home, he isn't good enough to play ball in Providence," said Jennings yesterday.

CARD OF THANKS We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing publicly our sincere thanks to our many relatives, neighbors and friends who by their many acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral offerings helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the sudden death of our beloved husband and father. We are especially grateful to the members of the Lowell Police department, Knights of Columbus and Industry Council, R. A., for the many kind favors shown, also for their beautiful floral offerings. Each and all we will ever hold in loving remembrance. Signed, Mrs. Catherine Cogger and family.

Lowell Opera House Julius Kahn, Prop. and Mgr.

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## REAL ESTATE SALES

Transactions Recorded for the Past Week

The following real estate sales for Lowell and suburban towns were recorded at the registry of deeds office during the past week:

LOWELL Florence L. Buck's exor. to George Hall, land and buildings on Lamb street, \$1,300.

C. Julius Huntley to Sam Cohen, land at cor. Washington and Leverett streets, \$1.

American Mason Safety Trade Co. of Maine to American Mason Safety Trade Co. of Mass., land on Perry street, \$1.

Harlow H. Rogers tr. to Albert A. Hurst, land, \$1.

Harlow H. Rogers tr. to Margaret A. Hurst, land on Westworth avenue, \$1.

Frank S. Bean to Nellie M. Charlton et ux, land on Highland avenue, \$1.

Annie Danks to Alexander B. Trudeau, land and buildings on Emmett street, \$1.

Abbie E. Leary to Mary P. O'Dowd, land and buildings on High street, \$1.

Charles C. Durston to Mary E. Healey, land and buildings on South Whipple street, \$1.

John J. O'Connor to Grace Delaney et al., land at cor. Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

Katherine M. Lawler to Margaret E. Green, land and buildings at cor. Lakeview avenue and Ferry lane, \$1.

Lizzie McLean Carney to Edgar H. Parker, land on Mt. Hope street, \$1.

John Ansell to Alfred S. Cyr, land and buildings on Boynton street, \$1,000.

William H. Healey to Annie F. Duffy, land on Methuen street, \$1.

L. Ward P. Masse Land Co., Inc., to Helene Tremblay, land at Pleasantdale, \$1.

Patrick J. Gately et ux by mtge. to Jerome Gookin, land and buildings on Appleton street, \$600.

Frank Goldman to Jerome Gookin, land and buildings on Appleton street, \$1.

Walter L. Pratt et al. to Lizzie J. Gould, land on Pratt street, \$1.

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Fred L. Knapp et ux, to Lizzie J. Gould, land on Princeton street, \$1.

Frank E. Sherburne's exor. to Elizabeth Harris, land and buildings at cor. Dwyer and Grove streets, \$1,000.

BILLERICA Mary P. Best to Arthur W. Howland, land and buildings on Riverdale road, \$1.

John H. Weston to Mattie G. Johnson, land at Pinehurst annex, \$1.

Aaron Adelman to Andrew B. Cannon, land at cor. Brown street and Birch road, \$1.

Oscar Larsen to August E. Larsen, land at cor. Arch and Crown streets, \$1.

Aaron Adelman to Franz Lundgren et al., land on Brown street, \$1.

Aaron Adelman to Alvin W. Farnsworth et al., land on River road, \$1.

CHELMSFORD Joseph Cote to Willie E. Dodge, land and buildings on Warren avenue, \$1.

WESTFORD George O. Jackson to James Benoit, land, \$1.

Clifford Henry Prescott et al. to James Benoit, land and buildings, \$1.

Homer L. Potchler to James Benoit, land and buildings on Groton road, \$1.

WILMINGTON Frank W. Coughlin to Hector Bragman, land on Forest and Wirt avenues and Forest street, \$1.

Walter L. Hale to Lizzie Ethel Hoyt, land and buildings on Temple and Lowell streets, \$1.

BILLERICA The recently elected board of selectmen of the town of Billerica met last night in the town hall and organized for the ensuing year. Selectman Sherman was chosen chairman and Selectman Sanford secretary.

William H. Hutchins was named by the board as cattle inspector for Billerica and the state board was notified. A petition was received from the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., for a location of poles on Ford street. A hearing on this petition will be held April 15. It was voted to hold the regular meetings of the board on the first and third Monday evenings of each month. On account of the town meeting being held next Monday night the selectmen's meeting scheduled for that date will take place on Tuesday, April 2. Jasper P. Bruce was appointed as caretaker of the commons and town pump at Billerica Centre.

## LOWELL PYTHIANS

Were Entertained by the Lawrence Lodge

The members of Black Prince lodge, 36, K. of P. of Lawrence, royally entertained as guests of the evening, a large number of their brother knights, members of Samuel H. Hines lodge of Lowell, Thursday evening in Black Prince hall. Many games contested with good natured rivalry were played after which a delightful banquet at which about 100 were seated was served.

The party returned to the lodge rooms and spent the remainder of the evening in carrying out the list of contests which was scheduled. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed until a seasonable hour. The Lowellites, won by Lowell bowling, won by Lawrence prize, silver loving cup, suitably engraved; three-legged race, Lowell shoe race, Lawrence, potato race, won by Lawrence.

WILLIAM H. FORD HAS ENLARGED AND IMPROVED HIS RING FACTORY

There are thousands of people who never knew or dreamed that there was such a place as the Ford ring factory, but such is a fact. Mr. Ford has been for many years located on upper Merrimack street, and is an expert jeweler, having learned the business in all its branches. Of late years he has been giving a great deal of his time toward the developing of machinery for the making and perfecting of gold rings, and today he has one of the best equipped factories of its size this side of New York.

Another thing that may astonish people is the great variety of styles and fashions that go with the ring business, and it may surprise a great many to know that Mr. Ford has more than 3000 designs of rings which he makes to order for anyone who desires to purchase.

A number of these settings are rings for diamonds or other precious stones, and are of a great variety of ring patterns of his own design. Mr. Ford has everything in his factory connected with an up-to-date manufacturing jewelry shop, though not near so large as Tiffany's of New York. Mr. Ford has perfected these machines so that he is today the sole owner of them, having them patented, and they are used in some of the leading cities of this country and Canada. Some idea may be had when it is known that in the construction and details of the machinery an expense of more than \$5000 is involved. Mr. Ford has already received orders for several of them. He takes in all the detailed requirements of ring making from the pure gold and silver smelting, the setting, polishing and every thing that is necessary to be used in the manufacture of rings. But this is not all that Mr. Ford does. He has one of the best appointed jewelry establishments in our city, fitted with the choicest of gold and silver watches, silverware, cut glass and jewelry in all its various styles. It is thoroughly up-to-date as a manufacturing and retail jewelry establishment, employing as he does several silver and goldsmiths who are always kept busy manufacturing for his wholesale trade as well as the retail. This is one of the busiest little factories in our city, and when we think that this is all the development of a few years due to constant and close attention to business Mr. Ford has won out and can claim to be the leading jeweler of the city.

There are very few places in our city where one can be his old jewelry and get it melted up and made into the latest designs.

It is always a pleasure to be able to speak of the success of any of our Lowell merchants when they have won out as Mr. Ford has in his novel, and we might say, exclusive industry. A visit through the factory is certainly

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure  
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

Interesting and Mr. Ford will do doubt kindly extend an invitation to any of his patrons who might be interested in the workings of this rare and interesting manufacturing jewelry establishment.

## PLEADED GUILTY

MAN CHARGED WITH BREAKING AND ENTERING

SKOWHEGAN, Me., March 30.—August Dehullar was sentenced yesterday by Justice Savage to serve two years and three months in the state prison at Thomaston, after he had pleaded guilty to two indictments for breaking and entering the shoe shop and Marston worsted mills here in February.

John Walker of Hartland, charged with being a common seller of liquors, was acquitted by a jury.

John H. Clark was ordered to the insane hospital at Augusta to be examined as to his sanity.

Martin Munster of Somerset Junction was convicted for being an alleged common seller of liquors. He was sentenced to pay \$100 and costs and serve 30 days in jail.

Chester Hodgdon of East Madison was sentenced to pay \$50 and costs for alleged single sale.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Wamsell lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night. There was a good sized attendance and considerable business was transacted. The committee on the trip to Bay State lodge of Boston reported that progress was being made and that final arrangements would be known at the next meeting. The first rank will be worked on several candidates April 25.

The last party in the series of whists will be held next Friday evening.

The Red Men

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night. Sachem Edmund Whitney presiding. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted. George O. Spaulding was chosen trustee to fill the unexpired term of George B. Sutherland, who died recently, and the tribe stood in silence for a space of time in respect to his memory. A committee of three, composed of Past Sachems Charles J. Martin, Leonard F. Steele and Edmund Croppin, was appointed to draw up a set of regulations on the death of P. S. George B. Sutherland to be spread upon the records, and a copy sent to his widow. At the next meeting some of the great chiefs of the great council of Massachusetts will be present and the entertainment committee will provide corn and venison for the occasion and sociability will be the theme of the hour.

CARLISLE

The death of Frances A. Duren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Duren of Carlisle has thrown a gloom over the town and the parents have the sympathy of all the residents there. Her death was caused by receiving severe burns, her parents were out of the house at the time and the child was playing with matches, and her clothing caught fire. She was terribly burned, but lived five hours, when death ended her suffering. She was three years, five months and 15 days old. Three boys are left to the afflicted parents, Kenneth Warren, nearly seven; Allen Stevens, five, and Samuel Edwards, 10 months old.

Impressive funeral services were held in the home, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. F. H. Billington, Rev. Granville Pierce and Rev. Philip A. Job participating. Two selections were sung by Miss Grace Chamberlain, Mrs. D. W. Robbins, Harold T. and D. L. Chamberlain.

The floral offerings were very beautiful and were, in part: Mound inscribed "Asleep," surmounted by a white dove, from the parents; spray, Kenneth and Allan; spray, Mr. John Sterns; spray, Uncle and Aunt Isnor; spray, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Hamblin; Bedford; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Isnor; sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Ober. Burial was in Green cemetery, under the direction of T. A. Green, funeral director.

## CASH AND JEWELRY

Were Stolen from Connie Mack's Men

BALTIMORE, March 30.—The Athletics won from the Orioles here yesterday afternoon, 12 to 2, and then discovered that while they were thrashing the home players, a thief had robbed them of \$2000 in cash besides valuable jewelry. A complete list of the jewelry and cash stolen follows:

C. Emory Titman, a "fan" traveling with the Athletics, watch valued at \$300 and \$185 cash; John J. Barry, watch valued at \$50 and fob valued at \$100; Brice Lord, watch valued at \$50, fob valued at \$100, diamond pin valued at \$150 and diamond ring valued at \$250; John McInnes, watch valued at \$50, diamond pin valued at \$100, two fobs valued at \$175, diamond valued at \$300 and \$100 in cash; Edward E. Collins, diamond pin valued at \$100 and \$100 in cash.

Following the game the players changed from their uniforms to their street clothes and it was then that they looked into the grip and discovered that the leather pouch had disappeared.

There was also more than \$1000 in cash which the players put in a bag as they were in a hurry to catch the train home to Philadelphia. It is customary for the Athletics to leave their money and valuables at the hotel, but as it was necessary for them to rush to catch a train after the game yesterday, they took them along to the park. They were placed in a leather pouch and put in the ball bag. Cap Murphy took the bag to the bench and placed it there.

The only person who it is thought could possibly have had a chance to get at the grip was a small boy, who attended to the bats and balls for the Athletics. This lad, it was recalled, left in the fourth inning and failed to return.

ONE DOSE MAKES INDIGESTION GO

Heartburn, Gas and Other Stomach Misery Ends

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or if you feel bloated after eating, and you believe it is the food which fills you; if what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing after eating, eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, brash or a belching of gas, which make up your mind that you need something to stop food fermentation and cure indigestion.

To make every bite of food you eat aid in the nourishment and strength of your body, you must rid your stomach of poisons, excesses, acid and stomach gas, which sour your entire meal-interest, with indigestion and causes so many sufferers of Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Bloatingness, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your case is no different—you are a stomach sufferer, though you may call it by some other name, your real ailment is only trouble in that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

A case of Pape's Diapensin will cost fifty cents at any Pharmacy here, and will convince any stomach sufferer of the necessity of taking a single dose that Fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of indigestion.

No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that a certain cure is waiting at any drug store the moment you decide to begin its use.

Pape's Diapensin will regulate any out-of-order Stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any fuss or discomfort, all of any kind of food you eat.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1912. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

## THE STRIKE MOST ORDERLY

Lowell is to be congratulated upon the orderly character of the mill strike. Thus far there has been practically no disturbance of any kind beyond the little clash with the officers on Davidson street. This is creditable to the strikers and to the police. It is gratifying to know that there will probably be no unusual demand for activity by the local police. That is as it should be. The people who go on strike have a perfect right to remain idle as long as they please. On the other hand the manufacturers have an equal right to keep their mills closed as long as they please. Neither should interfere with the other, but there is an element of justice and right that enters into the computation and that should not be overlooked. The operatives are men and women; many of them have families dependent upon them and these should not be overlooked or forgotten. Where most of the operatives live from hand to mouth it is plain that a few weeks' idleness will reduce them to want unless they be aided from outside sources. It is hoped that none of the operatives in this strike will feel the pangs of hunger, that the mills will reopen by mutual agreement in time to prevent any suffering.

## OUR POLICE FORCE ON TRIAL

The police department of Lowell is on trial in this strike. It is expected to control the situation and enforce the law without resorting to extreme severity unless this is absolutely necessary. While enforcing the law the officers must be careful not to trespass upon the rights of citizens, that is, they must understand fully the extent of their authority and stop right there. The police, however, would be blamed if they permitted any demonstration of lawlessness to get beyond their control. Supt. Welch has his men well instructed, and they are ready for all emergencies. They will deal cautiously with all disturbers; but if it becomes necessary to use force they will use it only to the extent that each particular occasion demands. We do not anticipate any trouble that the local police cannot handle with ease, so that there will be no demand on neighboring cities for assistance and no call upon the militia. The strikers thus far have shown commendable respect for the law, and it is to be hoped for their own sake and for the reputation of our city they will continue this wise policy.

## THE THREATENED COAL STRIKE

We are likely to have a great coal strike on our hands by the time the British strike will have been declared off.

In a few days more the wage scale, both in the anthracite and bituminous mines, will expire, and unless a new scale, satisfactory to the miners, be adopted, then about 500,000 miners will quit work in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The operators want to continue the present scale for two years more.

Let us hope the strike, if it occurs, will not prove so disastrous as the British. There will be no minimum wage act to hasten a settlement here as was the case in England. Our constitution would not permit that. Should a strike be declared in both classes of mines the loss of pay will amount to \$1,000,000 a day. The increase gained, even if all demands be conceded, will never make up for the actual loss of wages in a strike of several weeks' duration.

## TO PREVENT STRIKES

At a banquet of 600 railroad officials in Pittsburgh the other night Chairman Proctor of the Interstate Commerce Commission spoke strongly in favor of arbitration as a preliminary step in labor disputes among railroad employees. He argued that an unjust increase in wages on railroads, caused an increase in rates and that the general public had eventually to pay freight rates that were exorbitant. The chairman said he held to be a peace measure that had had good results but it was compulsory on no one. He favored a law making strikes illegal until after the issues had been submitted to arbitration by a fairly chosen body. This principle is quite similar to that of the Canadian law for the maintenance of industrial peace. It seems that the people of this country require a long time to talk about such things. Some peoples without half the discussion of the measures would make them law.

## AMEND THE SHERMAN LAW

The general opinion throughout the country is that the Sherman law is a flat failure. The introduction of the qualifying phrase, "unreasonable restraint of trade" by the supreme court of the United States, has knocked the bottom out of this law, and it should be amended at once. The Chicago packers tried under the criminal provision of the law were found to be in combination but not for unreasonable restraint of trade. This loophole provided by the highest tribunal in the land allowed the packers to go free. Thus is conviction made impossible and hence the criminal features of the law might as well be abandoned.

## THE FINANCIAL REPORT

The monthly report of the commissioner of finance, showing the receipts and payments of the general treasury fund, gives the citizens in general an opportunity to see what is being done with the city's money. This publication is provided for in the new charter, and as the pamphlet costs money it is to be hoped that it will be carefully read by the taxpayers. It shows that the amount of taxes due the city from 1899 to 1911 both included is \$741,753.38. The loans made in 1911 netted \$412,450. The receipts and expenditures for all the departments are given in detail and are of interest to everybody who follows municipal affairs.

## BUT ONE CANDIDATE

It looks now as if the democrats of this state would have but one candidate—Governor Foss—to vote for in the preferential primary. How can there be a preference with but a single candidate? Clark and Harmon have both declined to have their names on ballots in states where there is a local candidate. The republicans will have an opportunity to decide between



That Purchase Dave Petrie is some sprinter and that he made great time from Merrimack square to Davidson street the other evening.

That Dr. Dracopoulos has the Greek grippers well in hand and that he is respected by not only the strikers but by all the members of that nationality in the city.

That there was a remarkable change in the appearance of the corner of Market and Central streets yesterday—the brass buttons of the previous days being conspicuous by their absence.

That the C. Y. M. L. basketball team has established a great record this season.

That one week from today many of the amateur baseball teams will start the season.

That Henry Carr expects many out-of-town people to attend his opening on Tuesday evening.

That the fellow who left off cigarettes during the Lenten season has many Taft and Roosevelt, and the decision, we predict, will be overwhelmingly anti-Roosevelt.

## THEY DEFEATED THEMSELVES

The London suffragettes got into prison and injured their cause into the bargain by their smashing outbreak of a few weeks ago. The bill to extend the franchise to women, carried in the British house of commons last year by a vote of 255 to 88, was defeated this year by a vote of 222 to 268. The opposition increased from 88 to 120 owing to the militant tactics of the women themselves in their efforts to compel the government to give them the right to vote.

The mills of New Bedford averted a general strike by granting 10 per cent. increase over the wages already paid. This was the amount asked for by the operatives, and as might be expected the announcement was hailed with delight. There are 67 fine cotton mills in New Bedford and the fact that there will be no strike is fortunate news for the people.

Senator Lorimer has been vindicated again by a committee of the senate. It is not likely that the charges against him will be pushed any further. There was a whole lot of smoke but after long and faithful investigation the senate committee reports that there was no fire.

The bill to construct a new state penitentiary on a 1000 acre lot on a site to be chosen by the governor and council is one that should pass. The present location of the state prison in Charlestown is not what it should be, and a change to the open will be a great benefit to the inmates.

The Massachusetts legislature is not yet ready to favor biennial elections despite the fact that the custom is common.

## SEEN AND HEARD

There will be a special meeting of the Lowell Teachers' organization in high school hall on Thursday at 4.15 p. m. to be addressed by Mr. Walter L. Hamilton of the "Thomas Donaghy" school of New Bedford.

Richard Harding Davis, who knows South America intimately, told at a luncheon at the Philadelphia club, a South American story.

"The Florida in Buenos Ayres," he said, "is very elegant and charming, but in the past the young men were too prone to accost the beautiful women shopping and promenading there."

"Accordingly a law was passed which imposed a fine of \$50 on anyone who should dare to accost or annoy in the slightest degree any lady in Buenos Ayres."

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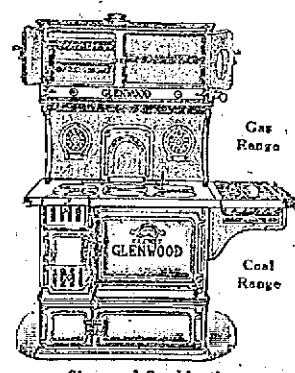
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It takes great skill and the very best material to make a plain smooth range—but Oh! how clean and wholesome it looks in the kitchen, so appropriate and business like.



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Coal, Wood and Gas Range.

It matters not whether your kitchen is large or small—there's a Plain Glenwood made to fit it. Prices to suit all purses.

## Glenwood Range

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said solemnly, "the Florida has become quite safe; but, when a beautiful woman walks in it, the young men hover near her, murmuring in low and ardent tones: 'I wish I had \$50.'"

Probably no one man has done or is doing so much for the potato industry of the country as Prof. C. L. Fitch, who is the potato scientist of the Colorado Agricultural college. He made an exhaustive study into the origin of American varieties of potatoes as well as the diseases which attack them. In the work he had in hand of improving Colorado varieties, his findings, which of necessity are in a large measure of a general character, are helpful, not only to potato growers in Colorado, but in other sections of the country as well.

Among a number of interesting facts which Prof. Fitch has demonstrated perhaps the most important is that a fungus growth called rizoz is responsible chiefly for the tendency in potatoes to "run out." The spores of this pest live on the mature potato in its place of storage during the winter and are visible as brown specks or spots on the surface, but do not usually induce the interior texture or quality of the tuber. These fungus spores are planted with the pieces of seed in the spring and shortly spread by fine thread and netlike growth to the new and tender shoots that grow from the seed piece. As a result these are either killed outright or greatly or slightly weakened, and on those stalks that do live through the season only runy tubers are produced of a low vitality.

Dr. Fitch asserts that most alfalfa land, as well as land on which potatoes have been grown for a number of years is likely to be more or less infested with this rizoz; hence, treating the seed with the formalin solution does little good. In his opinion, the selection of clean seed and having the soil well drained and giving the growing crop deep and thorough cultivation are the best methods of reducing damage from rizoz to a minimum. The addition of fresh manure is not advisable on land which is to be used for growing potatoes. Soil which contains a good deal of sand is freest from rizoz, and it is for this reason that it is so well suited to growing them.

Relative to the selection of potatoes for seed, Professor Fitch recommends those that are comparatively short and flat for the variety, not pointed or tapered, shallow eyed and without prominent yokes or yoke points; for most varieties recessed a little at the stem, and if of a red or pink variety, light in color for the variety.

THE SEA  
The sea! the sea! the open sea!  
The blue, the fresh, the ever free!  
Without a mark, without a bound,  
It rambles the earth's wide regions round;  
It plays with the clouds; it mocks the skies;  
Or like a cradled creature lies.

On the sea! I'm on the sea!  
I am where I would ever be;  
With the blue above, and the blue below,  
And silence whosoever I go.  
If a storm should come and awake the deep,  
What matter? I shall ride and sleep.

I love, oh, how I love to ride  
On the fierce, foaming, bursting tide,  
When every wave waving drowns the moon,  
Or whistles aloft his tempest tune.  
And tells how good the world below,  
And why the south-west blasts do blow.

I never was on the dull, tame shore  
But I loved the great sea more and more,  
And backward flew to her billowy breast  
Like a bird that seeketh its mother's nest.  
And a mother she was, and is, to me,  
For I was born on the open sea!

The waves were white, and red the morn,  
In the noisy hour when I was born;  
And the whole was whistled, and the sea  
And the dolphins bared their backs of gold;  
And never was heard such an outcry wild  
As welcomed to life the ocean child.

I've lived since then, in calm and strife,  
Full fifty summers, a sailor's life,  
With wealth to spend, and power to range,  
But never sought nor sighed for change;  
And death, whenever he comes to me,  
Shall come on the wild, unbounded sea!

—Barry Cornwall.

EDITORIAL COMMENT  
Providence Journal: Mr. Roosevelt will make his third campaign invasion

of New England on the fifth of next month, on which date he is scheduled for addresses at Manchester, Concord and Nashua, New Hampshire. As Mr. Taft spoke in these three places a few days ago it looks as if the colored had adopted a definite policy of camping on the president's trail.

## THE GOVERNOR'S CHANCES

New Bedford Times: Those who are inclined to regard the presidential aspirations of Governor Foss as wildly extravagant should remember that politics is a game of many surprises and that the "latent" frequently goes wrong.

At this distance from the Baltimore convention one man's chances seem to be about as good as another's. It may be conceded that Governor Wilson has advanced his candidacy further than any other of the many possibilities, but to say that the light is over is altogether unwarranted.

Should a deadlock arise in the convention, and such an event is by no means unlikely, Gov. Foss must be regarded as standing an excellent chance of getting the nomination. A governor who has shown himself strong enough to be twice elected in Massachusetts, coupled with a substantial republican following which Gov. Foss enjoys, is not to be reckoned as being without the pale of strong possibilities.

## UNIFORM CHILD LABOR LAWS

Courier-Citizen: It would be a good thing for the industries of the country if the laws regulating child labor were uniform in all the states. They aren't now, and the fact is a cause of much hardship to children and a needless complication in our industrial life. The laws in the north are generally more humane than those in the south and the former should be the standard for all. A movement to secure this reform is under way and meeting with much encouragement, in spite of the difficulties which must be encountered. The number of hours which children may work should be regulated and made reasonable, and be the same everywhere.

THE ALLEGED TURKISH VICTORY  
Worcester Post: Possibly true, but not to be accepted until further confirmation comes, is yesterday's report of the great Turkish victory over the Italian invaders of Tripoli. The tale comes from Turkish quarters by way of London, which as a news center has from the outset been strongly hostile to Italy and has sent out many false or grossly exaggerated stories, notably in regard to the massacres in the early stages of the war. The tale reported is likely to prove a baffling affair, like most of those of the campaign in Tripoli. The small number of casualties reported by the Turkish forces may perhaps give some notion of the scale of the engagement. But if true, the disaster will be only a repetition of what occurred in earlier colonial adventures of Italy. And it is at best a baffling job she has ahead of her in this case.

## POTASH PROTECTION

Lynn Item: The president has sent a message to congress urging the immediate enactment of a law to protect the potash fields recently discovered in California from private exploitation. Potash is an element of the greatest value in the preparation of fertilizers. The United States has now to depend on Germany for the supply of potash needed in the agricultural operations in the reclaimed lands of the West and Southwest. There was an attempt on the part of Germany to practically prohibit the export of the product of the German potash deposits. This induced scientific experts to go out and hunt for potash in our own territory. They were successful. The protection of the beds already discovered and those that may be discovered hereafter the president believes will insure to the great benefit of the agricultural industry of the United States and may reduce the necessity of continuing the present importation. To free ourselves from the power of Germany of potash will of itself be an achievement of no small moment.

## CHORAL SOCIETY

### HELD GRAND REHEARSAL OF THE "GOLDEN LEGEND"

There was a full attendance at the rehearsal of the Choral society on Thursday evening and the work on the "Golden Legend" showed up in splendid shape. The tickets for the coming concert are in the hands of members of the society and there is already a large sale reported. As the Y. M. C. A. is vacating the building on Hurst street, the remaining rehearsals previous to the concert will be held in the vestry of the First Universalist church on Third street, near the Y. M. C. A. building, next week on Wednesday, and on Thursday of the week following.

It is only two weeks to the concert by the Lowell Choral society when Longfellow's beautiful story, "The Golden Legend," set to music by Sir Arthur Sullivan, will be given. Already the demand for tickets is booming, and it looks as if the seating capacity of Associate hall would again be taxed to its utmost. Longfellow says of his work: "I have called this poem 'The Golden Legend' because the story upon which it is founded seems to me to surpass all other legends in beauty and significance. It exhibits, amid the corruptions of the middle ages, the virtue of disinterestedness and self-sacrifice and the power of faith, hope, and charity, sufficient for all the exigencies of life and death."

To interpret the music in which Sir Arthur Sullivan has cloaked his poem, the society has spared no pains, either in the quality of the soloists engaged or in the work of the chorus at its weekly rehearsals.

Mrs. Grace Bonner Williams, who is to sing the part of Elsie, is acknowledged to be the leading soprano on the concert stage today. She has sung in the big music festivals of the middle west, the south, in Pennsylvania, Albany, N. Y., Worcester, Springfield, and the other festivals held in New England. The critics of the leading newspapers and the great public concede to her the distinction of being without a peer in concert work. Mrs. Williams' success is due to three requisites, which she has in abundance, indispensable to the artist, namely, a beautiful voice, fine stage presence, and personality. She is sure to establish herself in the hearts of Lowell citizens as she has done in all cities where she has sung, and it is a foregone conclusion that she will be required to come back to Lowell many times in the future.

Reinold Werrenrath, the baritone, is spoken of in terms of earnest praise by his critics, and a brilliant performance of the part of Lucifer may be looked for. The New York Sun says of him:

"Mr. Werrenrath has acquired a high order of skill in tone production. His phrasing is refined and his enunciation is good. He has won praise before now, and his singing last night disclosed again all the fine traits heard

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The popular rough finish—"Hairy" hats, in latest Spring shapes—newest Spring colors.... \$1.50

In previous recitals.

Charles Hackett, the tenor, who assumes the part of Prince Henry, comes of a musical family. He has met with such unprecedented success in the past season and has qualifications so unusual, that his rapidly growing popularity causes no surprise among those who are acquainted with his work.

Miss Edith Prescott, contralto, comes recommended very highly by some of the best judges of singing in Boston. Her voice is said to be of that fast disappearing quality, the true, but such unprecedented success in the past season and has qualifications so unusual, that his rapidly growing popularity causes no surprise among those who are acquainted with his work.

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# THE MEDAL WINNERS

## For Best Essays on Cotton Industry in Lowell Announced

Monday will be observed as Lowell day in the public schools and it is understood that quite elaborate programs will be carried out in several of the schools. At the schools that have no halls the exercises will be held in the different class rooms and the day will be properly observed in all of the schools. Mayor O'Donnell has been invited to speak at the Green school and will accept the invitation.

A feature of the exercises at the different schools will be the awarding of the medals offered by the Lowell board of trade for the best essay on the subject "Beginning of Cotton Industry in Lowell." Each prize winner will read his or her essay. Several weeks ago the educational committee of the board of trade in order to encourage civic pride prepared rules for the contest, a silver medal to be awarded to the pupil in each grammar school who wrote the best essay on the subject and a gold medal to the pupil who wrote the best essay of all.

The committee of judges was composed of Rev. Charles T. Billings, Solon W. Stevens and Alfred P. Sawyer, chairman of the Lowell Historical society.

There were many excellent essays received by the committee and it was only after a careful examination of all of the essays that the awards were made.

In all there will be 21 medals awarded—twenty silver and one gold. The winner of the gold medal proved to be Margaret Blackie of the Bartlett school.

The winners of the medals are as follows:

**Gold Medal**  
Margaret Blackie, Bartlett school.

**Silver Medals**  
Agnes Hennessy, Notre Dame Academy.

Lawrence McGrath, St. Patrick's Boys' school.

Mary F. Rourke, St. Michael's school.

Irene Cote, St. Louis school.

M. Antoinette Biron, St. Joseph's convent.

Almeda Richard, Notre Dame de Lourdes school.

John Cook Dowd, Immaculate Conception school.

Raymond Rassez, St. Joseph's college.

Ruth Jamieson, Washington school.

Dorothy Wright, Varnum school.

Lillian Mildred Manning, Riverside school.

Harold A. Phelps, Pawtucket school.

Allan McOsker, Moody school.

Ruth Simpson, Highland school.

Helen McCanley, Green school.

Alfred Lajeunesse, Greenhalge school.

Elizabeth Harriet Holt, Edison school.

Edward Barrett, Colburn school.

Helen C. O'Hare, Butler school.

Percy Lightman, Abraham Lincoln school.

The gold medal is of 14 karat and is emblematic of the seal of the city of Lowell with a blue enamel circle bearing the inscription in gold "Art is The Handmaid of Human Good." Lowell. The other medals are of sterling silver.

As previously stated Hon. James E. O'Donnell will present the medal to the winner of the prize at the Green school at two o'clock Monday afternoon.

The presentation of the other medals as well as the time of the exercises and the person to represent the board of trade will be as follows:

Bartlett school, 2:45 p. m., Hon. Samuel P. Hadley.

Greenhalge school, 3 p. m., Rev. George F. Keungott.

St. Joseph's college, 2 p. m., Dr. Joseph E. Lamoureux.

Varnum school, 3 p. m., Frank K. Stearns.

Highland school, 10:30 a. m., Rev. Charles T. Billings.

Pawtucket school, 2 p. m., Mr. Patrick O'Hearn.

Riverside school, 2 p. m., Mr. Burton H. Wiggin.

The exercises of the St. Patrick's Boys' school and Notre Dame academy will be held at 2 o'clock in the school hall to Suffolk street and the presentation will be made by Mr. John J. Sullivan.

Moody school, 2 p. m., Mr. Henry A. Smith.

The educational committee of the board of trade which had charge of the contest is as follows: Rev. Charles T. Billings, John K. Whittier, Dr. Joseph E. Lamoureux, Dr. Hugh Walker, and George S. Motley.

### CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned take this means to extend to their many friends and neighbors who by words of consolation, floral offerings and expressions of sympathy helped to lighten the sorrow in the death of their beloved mother. To all they are grateful and will ever remember their many kind acts.

Signed,  
Hugh Roarke,  
Mary Roarke,  
Mrs. W. J. Coughlin,  
Mrs. John E. Campbell.

### MAN MURDERED

Shot to Death in Miners' Quarrel

WASHINGTON, Pa., March 30.—In the darkness of the Armda coal mine, shooting, the men quarreled, and Patrick, an Italian miner, is alleged to have shot and killed, yesterday,

PHOTOGRAPHS OF DICTOGRAPH IN USE THAT WILL BE INTRODUCED IN EVIDENCE AT DARROW TRIAL



LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 30.—When the case against Clarence S. Darrow, attorney for the McNamara, is called several photographs will be introduced in evidence, according to District Attorney Fredericks, which will show how the dictograph was used to overhear conversations between Darrow and other attorneys and witnesses. According to Fredericks, a dictograph was concealed under a calendar in a room occupied by Attorney John H. Harrington in the Hayward hotel. Mr. Darrow is said to have held many conferences in the room. Wires from the concealed dictograph extended into an adjoining room occupied by Robert J. Foster, chief investigator for the National Erectors' association, and two court reporters, Leo Longley and Waldo Faloan. The two reporters are said to have been able to overhear all the conversations in the adjoining room, and they took down these conversations in shorthand. Transcripts of the notes will also be introduced in evidence.

# GRAND TRUNK ROUTE

## Will Pass Through Lowell no Way to Boston

The board of railroad commissioners and board of port of Boston reported to the legislature yesterday on the plan to allow the Grand Trunk railroad to enter Boston. They say that if it is necessary to develop the port of Boston it is also necessary to admit the Grand Trunk railroad under suitable restrictions. When questioned as to where they proposed to build their line the officials reporting stated that the route lay through the Merrimack Valley passing through Lowell and then into Boston on the company's own lines. They will first build a single track road of sufficient width and abutments to permit double tracking as soon as the business of the company may warrant it.

RECOVERY OF \$5,000,000 IN GOLD SUNK IN OCEANA WILL BE DIFFICULT



LONDON, March 30.—It is realized that it will be difficult to recover the \$5,000,000 in gold that went down with the Oceana when that P. and O. liner sank in the English channel after collision with the German bark Piragus. The Piragus struck the Oceana on the head on and practically tore the side out of the steamer. The money was in transit to China as the first portion of the loan arranged by foreign bankers for the new Chinese republic. Ten lives were lost in the accident, four of them being passengers on the Oceana and others being members of her crew. The Piragus struck the Oceana on the head on and practically tore the side out of the steamer. The money was in transit to China as the first portion of the loan arranged by foreign bankers for the new Chinese republic. Ten lives were lost in the accident, four of them being passengers on the Oceana and others being members of her crew.

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New Spring styles in all the latest materials included in this bankrupt stock sale at money-saving prices.

## VOILE SKIRTS

All new effects; some with silk, taffeta drops; will be sold at any price.

## FURS FURS

This stock was bought for 1911 season and we will offer every piece at your own price. A really fine exhibit in Fur Coats, Neck Pieces, Scarfs and Muffs.

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LADIES' 75c PETTICOATS now.....**29c**  
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LADIES' \$1.50 PETTICOATS now.....**49c**

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Fine assortment for next to nothing. Here is what your money will produce:

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LOOK FOR THE YELLOW BANNERS



# ADVANCE IN WAGES

## Many Mills Follow New Bedford in 10 Per Cent. Advance

FISHERVILLE, March 30.—The cotton mills of the Blackstone valley are advancing wages still further, in accordance with a policy to pay as much as their competitors. The Fisher Mfg. Co. announces that beginning last Monday wages were advanced ten per cent. The old notices announcing an increase of five per cent. have been removed. Wage advances have also been made by the mills at Blackstone, North Uxbridge, Saundersville, Linwood, Whitinsville, Tauntonville, Rockdale and Manchug.

### 10 PER CENT. AT NO. ADAMS

NORTH ADAMS, March 30.—The Hoosac cotton mills announces a second advance of five per cent. for its 1000 employees, the increase to go into immediate effect. The employees struck two weeks ago when the first advance was given and demanded 15 per cent. The strikers returned a week later.

### TO GIVE 10 PER CENT.

ADAMS, March 30.—The cotton manufacturers of Berkshire county, employing 5000 operatives, have decided to meet the New Bedford advance in wages of 10 per cent. The Berkshire Mfg. Co., with 2100 employees and other concerns announce a further increase immediately.

### SMALL STRIKE AT ROCKLAND

ROCKLAND, March 30.—The plant of the Rockland Webbing Co. here was closed today and 75 operatives were made idle by a strike of 10 weavers, one of whom is a woman. The weavers objected to carrying warps from a store room to their looms. They work by the piece and they claimed that by carrying the warps they lost time that ought to be given to their piece work. A committee laid their grievance before George Woodward, president of the company, but failing a satisfactory answer the weavers walked out.

# ATTEMPTED BRIBERY

## Sheriff Held in \$10,000 Bonds on That Charge

KENNEBUNK, Me., March 30.—On a charge of attempting to bribe County Attorney Asa Richardson to protect liquor sellers, Sheriff Charles Emery of York was held for the May term of the grand jury in bonds of \$10,000 after a hearing before Trial Justice Bourne here today. Sheriff Emery furnished bail.

Attorney General William Pattangal, who was in the court room, said after the hearing that the legislature on Wednesday next would begin an investigation into the charges against Sheriff Emery. He said that Gov. Plaisted in a message would indicate to the legislature the desired scope of the investigation.

So great was the interest in the case that business in town was suspended while the hearing was in progress. Every store in the village was closed. Nearly 1000 people crowded into the town hall, where the hearing was held. The proceedings lasted two hours.

Judge Cleaves of Biddeford, counsel for the Christian Civic league of Maine, at the request of the county attorney, represented the state. In his opening address, which occupied an hour, he reviewed conditions surrounding alleged illegal liquor selling in York county and related the circumstances leading to the arrest of the sheriff.

County Attorney Richardson, who appeared as the principal witness for the state, told of conferences with Sheriff Emery at Mr. Richardson's home and office. At these conferences he said Sheriff Emery promised to pay him \$50 a week if he would refrain from prosecuting liquor dealers in the principal cities and towns of the county. He alleged that Sheriff Emery paid him five \$20 bills as the first instalment after he had pretended to enter into the agreement.

Three witnesses were called to corroborate County Attorney Richardson's testimony. They were Edward H. Emery, secretary of the Christian Civic league of Maine; Deputy Sheriff E. L. Littlefield and Elmer Roberts. All three testified that when the conferences between the sheriff and the county attorney were held at the latter's home they were in the cellar and plainly heard the conversation through a furnace pipe connecting with an open register in the room where the two men were talking.

The defense offered no evidence and no closing arguments were made. Judge Bourne found probable cause and held Sheriff Emery for the grand jury.

## Grace Bonner WILLIAMS

Is acknowledged to be the leading soprano in the concert stage today. She will be heard at the coming festival concert by the

## Choral Society

ASSOCIATE HALL  
TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1912

Reinold Werrenrath, Harp; Miss Edith Brewster, Contralto; Charles Brackett, Tenor.  
The Boston Festival Orchestra. The Choral Society—120 voices, will also assist in the performance of Sir Arthur Sullivan's dramatic cantata.

## The Golden Legend

Tickets, \$1.00, 75c and 50c  
For sale by members of the society

### McMANNON'S DISPLAY

A cordial invitation is extended to the public by J. J. McMannon, the artist of Prescott street, to visit his greenhouses on the Lawrence road, tomorrow, when he will hold his annual exhibition of bulbous plants, cut flowers and Easter lilies. This show is an annual affair at McMannon's conservatories, and the number of visitors grows larger and larger each succeeding year. Mr. McMannon, and a corps of floral culturists, who are ever willing to give information about the plants and flowers, to those seeking the same, will be present. There is no admission charged and everybody is invited to attend. Take the Lawrence car and it will bring you to the entrance of the greenhouses.

Mr. Edward F. Mcweeney, of Boston, ex-commissioner of immigration, will lecture on socialism, before the members of Lowell Council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, at Associate hall at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

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# TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

## NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	81 1/2	80 3/4	80 3/4
Am Car & Fm	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Am Cst Oil	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Am Locomo	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Am Smelt & R	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Am Smelt & R	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Am Sugar Rfn	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Anacosta	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Atchafalpa	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Bait & O	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Bait & O	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Br Har Tran	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Canadian Pn	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Ches & Ohio	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Col Fuel	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Consol Gas	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Del & Hd	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Den & R G	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Den & R G	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Eric	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Gen Elec	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Gr North pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Gr No Ora	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Illinois Cen	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Int Met Com	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Int Met pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Int Paper	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Int Paper pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
In S Pump Co	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
I S Pump pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Kan City S	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Kan & Texa	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Kan & T pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Mexican Cen	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Missouri Pa	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Nat Lead	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
N Y Central	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
No Am C	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Nor & West	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
North Pac	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Pennsylvania	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
People's Gas	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Pressed Steel	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Pullman Co	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Ry St & P	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Reading	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rep Iron & S	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rep Iron & S pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rock Is	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rock Is pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
St Paul	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
St Paul pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
So Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Southern Ry	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Southern Ry pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Tenn Copper	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Texas Pac	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Third Ave	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Union Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Rub	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Rub pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Steel	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Steel pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Steel Ss	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Utah Copper	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Wabash R R	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Wabash R R pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Western Union	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Wm & L Erie	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
W & L E 2d pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2

## STOCK MARKET

WAS BOULEGULAR AT THE CLOSE  
THIS NOON

Reading Made a Gain Of Five Points  
—U. S. Steel and Union Pacific Sold  
Under Yesterday's Close—Other Features of the Day's Trading

NEW YORK, March 30.—Heaviness was shown in the opening dealings on the stock exchange today, losses far exceeding gains. The Harriman stocks, including Island pf., Can. Pac., United States Steel and some of the specialties, were functionally lower. On the other hand slight gains were shown by the Mt. North pf., Atchafalpa, American Smelt. & Ref. and Amal. Copper. Dealings were comparatively light.

The market continued inactive during the first hour with practically no material price changes. Of all the active issues Reading was the only one to show more than a degree of underling strength. All the Harriman issues were strong and active. The new securities of the company which are traded in on the curb advanced smartly. Sloss Shefield Steel fell 2 1/2.

The market closed irregular, Reading's advance to 163 1/2, a gain of five points on the week was the one absorbing feature of the final hour. The advance of the last tended slightly upward after the movement in Reading, but failed to hold, U. S. Steel and Union Pacific selling under yesterday's close.

Money Market  
NEW YORK, March 30.—Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2-4 3/4. Sterling exchange easy at 48 1/2 for 60 day bills and at 186 1/2 for demand. Commercial bills 4 1/2-4 3/4. Bar silver 68. Mexican dollars 47. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm. Money on call nominal.

Time loans softer, 60 days 2 1/4-1/2, 90 days 3 1/4, six months 3 1/2-3 3/4.

Clearing House Statement  
NEW YORK, March 30.—The statement of clearing house banks of the United States for the week shows that the banks held \$3,850,100 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule. This is a decrease of \$2,311,500 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

Exchanges and Balances  
BOSTON, March 30.—Exchanges, \$14,187,000; balances, \$2,164,333. For the week ending March 30, 1912: Exchanges, \$132,954,275; balances, \$10,738,302.

Corresponding week of March, 30, 1911: Exchanges \$169,765,788; balances, \$10,644,358.

## BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	6	6	6
Am Tel & Tel	146 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2
Am Woolen pf.	92	91 1/2	92
American Zinc	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Arcturian	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Arizona Com	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Boston & Maine	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Cal & Arizona	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Cal & Hecla	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Centennial	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Copper Range	62	62	62
Daly-West	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Franklin	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Gilroy	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Grandy	41	40 1/2	41
Island pf.	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Indiana	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Isle Royale	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Lake Copper	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Mass	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Mass Electric	22	22	22
Mass Gas	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Mellank	62	62	62
Nevada	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
North Butte	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Old Dominion	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Osceola	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Quincy	81	81	81
Shannon	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Superior Copper	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Swift & Co.	105	105	105
Tamarack	31	31	31
United Fruit	183	183	183
United Sh M.	51	50 1/2	50 1/2
U S Smelting	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Utah Cons	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Utah Copper Co	61	61	61
Winona	7	7	7

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Nev	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Bay State Gas	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Boston Mly	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Davis-Daly	1	0 1/2	1
First National	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Goldfield Cons	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
La Rose	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Majestic	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Key Douglas	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Ohio Copper	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Raven	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
R I Coal	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2

Cotton Futures	Opening	Close
April	10.50	10.50
May	10.53	10.53
June	10.56	10.56
July	10.58	10.58
August	10.62	10.62
September	10.64	10.64
October	10.71	10.71
November	10.74	10.74
December	10.75	10.75
January	10.74	10.74
February	10.74	10.74

Cotton Spot	Opening	Close
Cotton spot closed quiet, 5 points higher. Middling Uplands 10.50. Middling Gulf 11.15. No sales.		

# MAY NOT STRIKE

## It Is Thought That Miners' Dispute Will be Settled

CLEVELAND, O., March 30.—Although a suspension of work has been definitely called in the anthracite mines to take effect Saturday midnight, measures were under way by the United Mine Workers of America today to improve the situation caused by wage disputes.

President White of the union expected to arrange a date for the meeting between the opposing sides today. At the same time bituminous miners and operators hoped to complete an agreement whereby the miners would accept a slight increase in pay instead of their original demands. A subcommittee to which had been referred an offer of a compromise by the miners was ready to report that it had accepted the proposal. The operators said they were confident of its acceptance by the full conference which has been in session here for ten days. But the terms still have to be presented before the union's policy committee and by it submitted to a referendum vote of the union. Meantime a suspension, beginning Monday, of both the anthracite and bituminous mines, was said to be unavoidable.

## SERMON ON DEATH

Preached by Fr. Phelan at Sacred Heart

Rev. P. J. Phelan, O. M. I., preached an eloquent sermon at the services in connection with the retreat for men at the Sacred Heart church last evening. Fr. Phelan took as his subject "Death and Judgment." He told of the importance of being ever prepared to meet the inevitable and said that retreats and missions are conducted at intervals to instruct the people on the importance of this. He told all that they should frequent the sacraments, and not wait until they are ill. Many times some are called before the priest arrives and by attending to the duties often you will be prepared to face God for judgment when death comes. He spoke most forcibly and his sermon was listened to with close attention. The rosary was recited by Rev. T. Franklin Wood, O. M. I., and after the sermon, benediction of the blessed sacrament was given by Rev. James McDermott, O. M. I. At the 5 o'clock mass this morning there was a large congregation and many received holy communion. Tonight confession will be heard and the retreat will be brought to a close at 6:30 tomorrow evening, with the bestowal of the papal benediction, renewal of the baptismal vows, benediction and a reception into the Holy Name society.

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## CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES

Continued

he said the bond had already been renewed. The amount of the bond is \$50,000.

Commissioner Barrett read a letter which he received from John J. Sullivan claiming damages to a horse and carriage. The damage to Mr. Sullivan's horse and carriage was the result of a runaway in which three horses from the Pawtucketville fire house played the principal parts. The accident happened about a month ago. The fire horses were attached to an engine wagon and that veteran driver, Sam Paine, was holding the reins. The horse became unmanageable and smashed into Mr. Sullivan's horse and carriage reducing the latter to kindling wood. The matter was referred to the commissioner on public safety.

On motion of Commissioner Cummings it was voted to ask the board of health to ascertain from reliable physicians if a hospital for the cure of tubercular cases of tuberculosis should be built in this city how many should it be made to provide for.

The petition of James H. Cleary and others to have Swift street macadamized was referred to Commissioner Brown.

The quarterly report from the liquor commission having to do with minor licenses was accepted and placed on file.

An order designating and appointing polling places for the primaries April 30 was read and adopted.

The report of the commissioner of streets and highways and commission of public property relative to the attachment of wires by the Lowell Electric Light corporation to poles owned by the N. E. T. & C. Co. in various streets was read and accepted. Commissioner Barrett called for the reading of the law in the matter and the mayor read from chapter 309 of the acts of 1911.

The order granting the petitioner the right to attach its wires to the poles designated in the petition was adopted. Commissioner Barrett voting against.

The report of Commissioners Brown and Cummings recommending the petition of Lowell Electric Light corporation to attach extra wires to its own poles in Moody street was read and accepted and the order accompanying the report was adopted. Ald. Barrett opposed it.

The report of Commissioners Brown and Cummings recommending the petition of the N. E. T. & C. Co. for permission to attach its wires to the poles of the Lowell Electric Light corporation in Carlisle street was accepted and the order accompanying the petition was adopted. Alderman Barrett against.

Mr. Barrett said he was opposed to the granting of the petition until some better contracts are drawn up between the Lowell Electric Light corporation and the N. E. T. & C. Co. for better lighting and telephone service.

One of the petitioners of the Lowell Electric Light corporation was for a wire to convey power to a manufacturing concern in Broadway.

"It seems to me a very dangerous proposition to carry heavy power wires overhead. I don't see why the legislature doesn't act favorably upon our petition for municipal conduits," said Mayor O'Donnell.

Commissioner Brown recommended a petition for a sewer in Caroline street and Robert avenue. Ald. Brown's report was appended a report from the city engineer giving the cost of the proposed sewer as \$3,131.00, with a probable sewer assessment of \$550.

On motion of Alderman Barrett it was voted that the city take a view of the streets in question.

On the petition of Jennie B. Daniels for a sewer in Highland street, Alderman Brown



## AUTO STRUCK HACK

Excitement in Merr'k Sq.  
This Morning

There was considerable excitement at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets this morning about 10 o'clock when an automobile collided with a hack, breaking the pole. No one was injured. According to the story of witnesses of the accident the hack was the third in a funeral that was coming from Belvidere. The hack in the front had turned into Central street from Merrimack when the automobile, which is the property of the Page Catering company, and was driven by John Sargent, of 636 Rogers street, came shooting down Merrimack street and went to cut through the funeral procession. As the machine was going through, it struck the pole of the hack, snapping it at its connection with the body of the vehicle.

The hack driver held the frightened animals, left his seat and had the people get out of the coach. They were transferred to other hacks and the cortege proceeded to the cemetery. A telephone message was sent to the owner of the carriage, the Lowell Coach Co., and Mr. Braden, manager, brought another pole to replace the damaged one. The hack was pulled into Middle street, where the pole was placed in position and it was taken to the stable. The driver said to the writer: "It was through no fault of mine the accident happened. I was turning into the street following the other carriages when the automobile tried to cut through. The horses behaved well, and the snapping of the pole saved the hack from probable destruction."

**M. E. CONFERENCE**  
PROVIDENCE, March 30.—Little business of a general character was done today by the Southern New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at its 12nd annual session. A regular session of the conference was held in the forenoon and the afternoon was given over to anniversary meetings of different societies within the conference.

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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.  
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## GROOM'S ILL HEALTH

WAS NO BAR TO THIS WEDDING

LYNN, March 30.—After considerable difficulty, Miss Violet Wade and John Charles Thompson, a shoe worker, both of Lynn, yesterday afternoon secured from the Lynn city clerk's office a license to be married. The prospective groom's brother, Frank H. Thompson, tried to prevent the issuing of a license on the ground that John Thompson was in poor health, still suffering from the effects of a fall received in childhood. City Clerk Joseph Attwill, however, declared that there was no law which authorizes him to withhold marriage licenses on this ground.

About a week ago Miss Wade applied at the city clerk's office for a license immediately. Clerk Attwill explained the new five-day law to her. Next day she renewed her application saying she would wait the required time for her certificate. Meanwhile the brother appealed to Clerk Attwill and Chief of Police Burckes to see if the marriage could be stopped. They told him that the couple were of age and not related, and had a right to marry.

Yesterday afternoon, the time being up, Miss Wade and Thompson secured the license.

## LEGAL NOTICES

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas J. Russell, of Lowell, in said County, an Insane Person, and to the State Board of Insanity.

Whereas, John J. Downing, guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance his account as guardian upon the estate of said ward:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in said estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on or before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court and also to the State Board of Insanity seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha Raynes, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas, said estate has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Harry Raynes, of Lowell, in said County, an Insane Person, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on or before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand and twelve, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

## A LITTLE NONSENSE



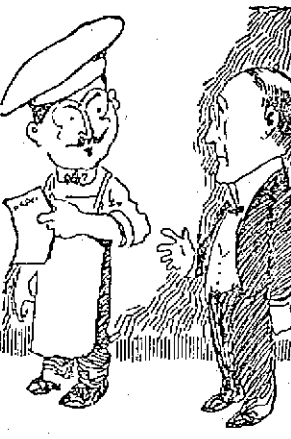
**NO FISH STORIES.**  
The Boarder—I've heard it said that all of our Presidents were enthusiastic fishermen at some time during their lives.  
The Farmer—Humph! Not George Washington. They say he never told a lie in his life.



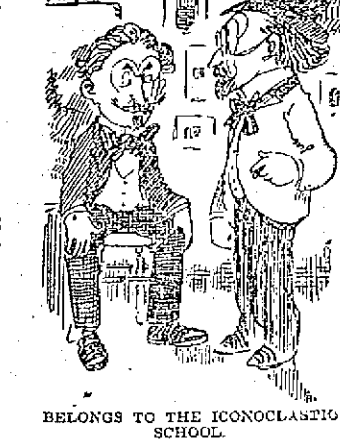
**COUNTRY'S FAVORITE SPORT.**  
"Will you say that you are not a candidate for office?"  
"Why should I? Why assume to pose as the one great exception in American citizenship?"



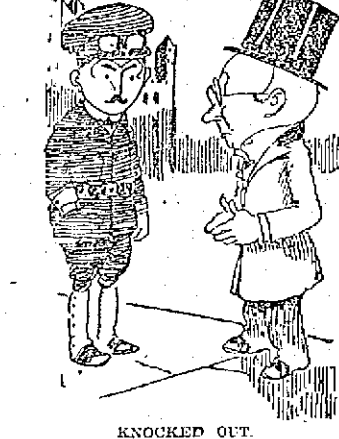
**A WONDERFUL BREED.**  
"I hear you have evolved a wonderful breed of laying hens."  
"You bet I have. They beat anything I've ever seen. They don't need roosts. 'Don't need roosts'?"  
"No, sir; they're laying night and day."



**BELONGS TO THE ICONOCLASTIC SCHOOL.**  
"Have you seen that painting by that artist from Reno?"  
"No. What is it called?"  
"Breaking June thea."



**KNOCKED OUT.**  
The Professor—Klunsey is about the stupidest man I ever ran across.  
The Autist—Well, he didn't know anything after I ran across him.



**BOUGHT OF THE COST.**  
Cook—How'd you have your beefsteak today?  
De Clerk—In fear and trembling.

## PHOTO FINISHING

**DEVELOPING AND PRINTING.**  
Special for Saturday, March 30th: Prints No. 2 Brownie, size 2 1/4 x 3 1/4, 20 each; No. 24 Brownie, No. 3 Brownie, 2 1/4 x 3 1/4, size 3 1/4 x 4 1/4, No. 3A, 3 1/4 x 4 1/4, size 4 x 6. Unless this ad. is presented with order, regular price will be charged. Will Rounds, 37 Merrimack st.

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**BAKER'S The New Racket**  
803 Middlesex St. 610 Merrimack St. Telephone 2461

## SPECIAL NOTICES

**DENTIST WILL EXCHANGE** dental work for kitchen range, printing cabinet making electric wiring or tailoring. Address Box 12, Sun Office.

**NOW IS THE TIME OF YEAR** to burn wood. I always have a good supply of cord wood of all kinds for sale. A. C. Brown, 13 inland st. Tel. 2320.

**LADIES' AND GENTS' CLOTHING** cleaned and pressed scientifically, at moderate rates. Frank Coranick, 55 North st. opposite Brady's saloon.

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## TO LET

**MODERN APARTMENT TO LET.**  
5 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, furnace heat, set tubs. Inquire 345 Walker st.

**HOUSE OF 10 ROOMS TO LET** in Belvidere; hot and cold water, bath and gas. Apply 453 Central st.

**STORE ON MIDDLESEX ST.** 70 ft. lot, suitable for a furniture store or shooting gallery. Apply 468 Central st.

**FLAT TO LET AT COR. WEST** Sixth and Jewett sts. 6 rooms, pantry, bath, set tubs, hot and cold water, open plumbing, furnace heat. Apply 296 Middlesex st. Tel. 2241-12.

**TEENEMENT OF FIVE ROOMS** to let at 86 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply on premises or 23 North street.

**FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET** also rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Hoffman House, 387 Central st.

**5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET AT** 12 Cady st.

**PLEASANT, SUNNY 5-ROOM FLAT** to let, man and wife; toilet and shed same floor; gas; handy to mills. No. 25 Fulton st.; price \$25 per week. Tel. 27-12 Westford st.

**7-ROOM FLAT TO LET, LOW RENT.** \$2.50 per week. 32-1/2 North Main st. Tel. 129 and 149 Cushing st. Room 1st. 58 Elm st. Tel. 175. Inquire Jos. Flynn, 71 Chapel st.

**UPSTAIRS TENEMENT OF NINE** rooms to let, with set tubs, hot water, bath and pantry, at 23 Lombard st.

**DOSTON STYLE APARTMENT** to let, best 5 rooms and den, modern, hardwood floors, fire place, \$30 per month. Burton H. Wiggin, 1019 Middlesex st.

**5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET;** \$3; also 4-room, \$1.75 per week; 5 minutes walk from post office. Inquire Room 13, Central block.

**TENEMENT OF 7 ROOMS TO LET** hot and cold water; set tubs; hot water heat; 5 minutes' walk from square. Apply 133 State sts.

**5-ROOM TENEMENTS TO LET;** COR. Broadway and Griffin sts. 5 rooms, electric light, to let, or for sale, on very easy terms. Inquire 10 Lee st. or telephone 3428-15.

**MODERN 5-ROOM FLAT, BATH AND** shower, to let, to small family, at 4 Carter st. within 5 minutes' walk of U. S. Bunting Co., Lowell Blackery, Federal Shoe Co. \$13 per month. Inquire on premises.

**COTTAGE OF 7 ROOMS WITH** bath, gas, \$600 per year. 300 ft. lot, to let, or for sale, on very easy terms. Inquire 10 Lee st. or telephone 3428-15.

**4-ROOM COTTAGE WITH GAS** and city water, to let, also lot of land for agriculture. 5 minutes' ride from post office. Tel. \$5.50 month. Apply 453 Central st.

**LOWER FLAT OF 5 LARGE ROOMS,** to let, in Belvidere, 12-1/2 min. walk, electric light, steam, first class. Apply 329 High st.

**FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET;** steam heat, gas; \$1 per week up. 114 McMillan, Gallagher House, William street.

**STORE AND 3-ROOM TENEMENT** to let at 363 Lawrence st. Rent \$2.00. Inquire at 321 Lawrence st.

**FOUR TENEMENTS AT 145 CUSH-** ing st. and two at 88 Elm st. to let cheap. 4, 6 and 7 rooms each. Inquire 8, Flynn, 71 Chapel st.

**SUNNY 7-ROOM TENEMENT** to let, near Coral St. and Westford st.; \$11 per month. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 437 Middlesex st.

## HELP WANTED

**ASSISTANT CASHIER AND BUNDE;** good salary. Apply at Alpha Shoe Store, 38 Merrimack st.

**RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED.** \$390 first year, promotion to \$1800. Examinations May 1 in every state. Complete education, no experience necessary. Coaching. Full information free. Write for booklet J 115, Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C.

**FREE ILLUSTRATED BOOK** tells all over 25,000 protection policies to U. S. service. More than 10,000 vacancies every year. There is a big chance here for you, sure and genuine pay, immediate employment. To get it, just ask for booklet C 125. No obligation. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C.

**FIVE MULE SPINNERS WANTED** on wooden work in New Hampshire. No labor trouble; good wages; car fares advanced. City Employment Office, 52 Central st., room 28.

**EXPERIENCED GIRLS WANTED** on spinning, twisting, jack spinning, stocking, hosiery, and extra work in worsted mills in New Hampshire. Car fares advanced. City Employment Office, 52 Central st., room 28.

**PAINTER WANTED. INQUIRE** Connors Bros., Plain st.

**MEN WANTED TO SELL SEEDS** to farmers and gardeners. Stock in clover. Apply immediately. Horrick Seed Co., Rochester, N. Y.

**SECOND HAND RIGHT HAND** ratchet stock, wanted; with or without goods. Building extra. \$18 to \$25 per week. Address with price, and where it may be seen. Address T. Sun Office.

**GOOD EXPERIENCED HOUSE GIRL** or woman wanted. Apply at 125 Chelmsford st.

**GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE-** work wanted. In private family. Wages \$5 per week. Apply at The Sun Office.

**YOUNG MEN WANTED TO LEARN** to be chauffeurs and repair men. Invaluable service. No experience necessary. These trained men cannot be supplied. The work is pleasant and out of doors. We give a complete course in driving and repairing. You will enable any man to hold the best position to be had. Day and evening classes. Private driving lessons given. Anyone desiring salary particulars, etc., apply to P. O. Box 934, Lowell, Mass.

**THREE OR FOUR GOOD INSPEC-** tors wanted on mercantile cotton piling for beach house at sea shore, on water front. Must be first class. Burton H. Wiggin, 1019 Middlesex st.

**AUTOMOBILE AGENTS—I WANT** local agents in every county in the United States to handle a popular priced line of automobiles. A good name and reputation for integrity counts more with us than money or experience. If you have \$500 and can furnish \$100,000 you can procure the agency for our high grade car and we will furnish you with demonstrator. For full particulars, address: Raynolds Sales Manager, Box 55, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

**FOR WOMEN ONLY—MARRIED** ladies, widows, earn good salary. Promotion and field manager position. Earnest workers. Write for territory. Sanitary Instrument Co., Newville, Pa.

**FOUR NIGHTEHEAD OPERATORS** wanted on ladies' work. Apply to M. Joyce at Dedging Bros., Newburyport, Mass.

**WANTED DRAWING ROOM HELP** wanted. Worst twisters and spinners. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Woburn, N. H.

**AGENTS SEND FOR FREE SAMPLE** and order. No experience necessary. Quick sales. Big profits. Easy, pleasant employment. W. J. Stevens, 771 East 15th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

**NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY** to market \$500 daily on our special. Particulars free. Write today. Westboro Specialty Co., 9 South st., Westboro, Mass.

**COAT MAKERS WANTED. APPLY** to the Tailor, 127 Middlesex st.

**NEW RELIABLE AGENTS WANTED.** \$50 per week. No work in Middlesex county, with guaranteed perfection, self-heating flat iron, 1911 patent. The Hingham Co-operative Co., Fall Village, Conn.

**MEN WANTED TO LEARN THE** automobile business; road driving and repairing. Send stamp for particulars. New England Auto School, 509 Tremont st., Boston, Mass.

**RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED.** \$400 month. Lowell examinations May 4th. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 135 N., Rochester, N. Y.

**WANTED FOR THE U. S. ARMY—MIL-** itary and naval service. Between 18 and 25; citizens of United States; of good character and temperate habits. Who can speak, read and write the English language. For full particulars apply to Recruiting Officer, 159 Middlesex st., Lowell, Mass.

**WANTED**  
French Canadian (twisters, winders and weavers in woolen goods. Apply Hingham Employment Bureau, 77 Franklin St., Lawrence, Mass.

**Weavers WANTED**  
At once. Apply Talbot Mills, North Billerica, Mass.

**PHOTOS FOR EASTER**  
Great reduction. Cabinet photos, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per dozen. We also make post cards, 75c per dozen. All work guaranteed. To give perfect satisfaction. Action. J. Champlin, photo artist, 77-79 Algonk st., cor. Lakewood ave., Lowell, Mass.

**FREE TO THE SICK**  
It matters not the name of the disease you are suffering with, how many physicians you have taken treatment with, do not be discouraged. DR. TEMPLE'S TREATMENT WILL CURE YOU.

ALL Blood, Nerve and Rectal Diseases, Acute and Chronic Blood Diseases of Men and Women, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Stricture, Prostatitis, Piles, Fistula, Pilonitis, Gleet and all other diseases of the Urinary, Blood, Liver, Kidney, Bladder, Heart, Nose, Throat, Testes are always made to suit the convenience of the patient, for treatment, and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated thoroughly and learned the truth. Write to Dr. Temple, 97 Central st., Lowell, Mass., Wednesday, 7 to 9; 7 to 8, Sunday, 10 to 12. Other days by appointment only.

**STORAGE FOR FURNITURE** for regular 12 months, \$1 per month for east and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. E. Frontis, 660 Bridge st.

**FOR SALE**  
HARRIED PLYMOUTH ROCK AND Road Island Red eggs for sale, for setting, 50c for 13, 515 Lawrence st.

**ROLLER CANALIS FOR SALE.** Males and females. 102 Cross st.

**CHECKING SQUARE PIANO FOR** sale; in good condition, \$20. Inquire 565 Moody st.

**A LOT OF BUILDING GRANITE,** stone steps, etc. cheap. Burton H. Wiggin, 1019 Middlesex st.

**PIVOT FOR SALE, NEARLY NEW;** no further use as city sewer has been put in. Homer Lambert, 157 Market st.







## THE MILLS STILL CLOSED

## Loomfixers Want to Settle Strike

## THE COAL OPERATORS

Consider Terms of Compromise  
With the Miners

NEW YORK, March 30.—Representatives of the anthracite coal operators here today considered possible terms of compromise over the miners' demands, which will come up for reconsideration at a joint conference of miners and operators to be held in Philadelphia, April 10. No formal meeting of the operators was held today.

One of the most prominent coal operators said that the miners must

surrender their demand for recognition of the union or the conference would result in nothing. The only basis for further negotiations, he said, would be the demand for increased pay. He added that if the miners were willing to reduce their demand to ten percent, increase some of the operators would probably entertain it. This, he thought, would be the maximum to be granted in any event.

## FOUR MEN MISSING

An Explosion of Nitro-Glycerine  
Wrecked Big Plant

TULSA, Okla., March 29.—Four persons are missing and the plant of the Central Torpedo Co. is a mass of wreckage as a result of an explosion of nitro glycerine near here today. Two men named Shuster and Lindebaugh went for explosives to use in oil field

operations just before the explosion. Remnants of clothing found cause the belief that they were blown to bits. Two boys were fishing in a stream nearby. The boys cannot be found.

## DYNAMITE CHARGES

FAILED TO BREAK UP THE ICE  
GORGES

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., March 29.—All night long the hundreds of men working along the Platte river in an attempt to break up the ice gorges fired big charges of dynamite but made little progress in relieving the situation.

600 WORKMEN IDLE:  
SCHANTON, Pa., March 29.—The Erie railroad today ordered the closing of its shops at Schanton near here, throwing idle 600 workmen, owing to the melting situation.

Smooth, soft, velvety skin results from using Houd's Lotion—best for all weather effects. Try it. Sold by all druggists. 50c.

## You Can Eat

Anything that is fit to eat without being troubled by sour stomach, heartburn, nausea, if you take one or two

## Dys-pep-lets

Made only by C. I. HOOD CO.  
The up-to-date digestive tablets. Sugar-coated. 10c, 50c, or \$1 a box. Remember the Name Dys-pep-lets Substitute

## NOTICE

Special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All delegates requested to attend. Trade unionists invited.

Per order,  
CHAS. E. ANDERSON, Sec.

HAVE you seen the Home Rule Suits at the Merrimack? If not, it is worth your time to go there today and look them over.

**\$20 to \$25**

MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.  
Across From City Hall

## COLE IS GUILTY

Was Ordered to Pay a  
Fine of \$100

NEW YORK, March 30.—The jury trying Willis Vernon Cole, the Christian Scientist, for practicing medicine without a license returned a verdict of guilty this afternoon after 15 minutes' deliberation. Justice Seabury fined Cole \$100.

FIRST TRINITARIAN CHURCH  
Rev. George F. Koenig has been called to attend the funeral of a friend

Don't  
Thrash  
Them

Don't ever beat the carpets again!

The electric vacuum cleaner doesn't merely inhale the surface dust.

It cleans house!

LOWELL ELECTRIC  
LIGHT CORP.

50 Central Street

## THE MILL OFFICIALS

To Receive Communication from the  
Loomfixers' Union

The strikers are still out and according to the present state of affairs they may be out for some time to come. There is practically no change in the situation. The strikers still insist upon a 15 per cent. increase, while the mill officials refuse to deal with or recognize the I. W. W.

A large number of strikers, members of the I. W. W., today went to Lawrence to take part in the parade, and accordingly their quarters in Central street are practically deserted. They have leased Higgins hall at the corner of Market and Hanover streets for a year for meeting purposes at a rent of \$48 per month.

A foreigner was arrested at the Boott mills this morning while trying to draw a pay with a check which he claimed was given to him by some party. He was released later.

The Loomfixers held a meeting this morning and were addressed by President Golden. On Monday they will present propositions to the mill officials in regard to a settlement.

The Greeks held a meeting at 12 o'clock this noon in their school hall in Jefferson street, and were addressed by their leader, Dr. Demopoulos. He told them not to go to Lawrence, and also to keep away from the I. W. W. hall.

The Mule Spinners' union held a meeting this morning. The mill employees were all paid off this morning and this part of the day's program was carried out in a very satisfactory manner.

The board of trade has sent a letter to the Boston newspapers, asking them not to magnify the conditions in Lowell relative to the strike.

The I. W. W. carried signs to Lawrence today bearing the inscription "Scabs Wanted in Lowell. Apply to John Golden."

Several meetings of the latter organization are scheduled for tomorrow.

## CHARGE OF MURDER

Against Sylvester Love Was Dis-  
missed After a Hearing

GREAT BARRINGTON, March 30.—The charge of murder brought against Sylvester Love as a result of the death of Luigi Cardillo on March 2 was dismissed at the conclusion of a hearing in the local court today. District Attorney C. T. Callahan, in summing up the case, told the court that Love was acting entirely within his rights when, after having been shot twice by Cardillo in his own yard, he wrested the weapon from the Italian and shot him fatally. It developed during the

In Newport, N. H., on Sunday. In his absence, Dr. J. G. Rodgers will fill the pulpit at 10.30 a. m. and 8.45 p. m. He will preach in the morning on "Seeing Invisible Things," and in the evening on "Does It Pay to Pray?" Dr. Rodgers has made a name and a place for himself in Lowell by the lectures given in the High Street church, and his sermons on Sunday in the First Trinitarian Congregational church will prove interesting and inspiring.

MEN'S MISSION  
AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION  
WILL CLOSE TOMORROW

The retreat at the Immaculate Conception church will be brought to a close tomorrow night. Last night the church was crowded to the doors and the preacher, Rev. Fr. Wildenberg, delivered a very impressive sermon on "Death." At the beginning of the service the rosary was recited, Rev. Fr. Fox, O. M. I., leading. Benediction of the blessed sacrament was given by Rev. Fr. Fox. This morning the masses were largely attended and hundreds received communion.

The services tomorrow night will begin at 6.30 and will consist of recitation of the heads, sermon, renewal of baptismal vows and benediction.

THE "BIG SHOP"  
To Go on Full Time on  
Monday

The Lowell Machine shop will start on full time Monday morning. The plant has been running on part time and beginning Monday morning the hours of work there will be from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. It is understood that the big shop, as the Lowell Machine shop is called, has corralled a goodly number of new orders and the prospects are good for a busy season. The new management is putting forth its very best efforts to increase the production and the outlook is very encouraging.

ORDERS  
For Men's Suits taken Today and Monday will be  
READY FOR EASTER  
if desired. Big line of Suits at  
\$25.00.  
M. MARKS CO.  
Tailors  
40 Central St.

## THE LOOMFIXERS MET

TO PREPARE DEMANDS  
At the time of going to press the Loomfixers were in session formulating demands for submission to the mill agents. The general opinion was that an increase of 15 per cent. would be demanded with other conditions of less importance.

## THE MULE SPINNERS

ARE NOT ON STRIKE  
Secretary Ashton of the Mule Spinners said that the report that they were on strike is false. He said that they are out because the mills are closed. He said that the visit of the national secretary here was not to advise them to strike but to instruct them as to conduct during the time that they are out of work.

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## CHARLES E. HARMON

Presented Pipe by Em-  
ployes Today

The employees of the making room of the Lowell Shoe factory in Blackpole street, numbering about 50, today presented to Charles E. Harmon, retiring foreman of the room, a costly pipe. The affair was held just as the popular foreman was about to leave the room. All the employees surrounded him and William E. Porter, one of the employees, went to the front and in an excellent presentation speech in which he told of the many good qualities of the foreman and how the employees regretted his retirement, he asked him to accept as a slight token of esteem a beautiful pipe. Mr. Harmon was greatly surprised, but thanked his friends and assured them that he would ever remember their kindness.

INTEREST  
BEGINS  
Wednesday, April 3

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT  
TRADERS NATIONAL BANK  
Hours: 8.30 to 3. Saturdays 8.30 to 12.30 and 1 to 5 p. m.

## 100,000 OPERATIVES

In New England to be Granted  
Increase in Pay

BOSTON, March 30.—Cotton mill owners in New England employing 100,000 operatives have decided to advance wages 10 per cent. during the latter part of March and early in April. It was at first intended to grant an increase of five per cent. only but the action of Fall River and New Bedford owners in conceding a ten per cent. raise induced manufacturers at other southern New England mill centers and in Western Massachusetts to fall into line. It is the plan of leading New England mill treasurers in the near future to make a further adjustment of cotton mill wages which will bring to all operatives engaged in the same classes of work equal wages everywhere. From Maine to Connecticut mills making the same class of goods have decided to pay the same level of wages and disparities will be avoided. The forthcoming change, it is stated, will involve voluntary adjustments. To effect this readjustment, which is necessary by the general advance in the cost of living, will cost New England's cotton mills alone \$19,000,000 annually.

## ALMY IS RELEASED

Nashua Man Was Held in Con-  
nection With Civil Suit

BOSTON, March 30.—William F. Almy of Nashua, N. H., who was arrested three days ago in connection with a civil suit brought against him by Edwin Ginn of Boston, was released from custody today by Judge Hammond, who set aside the original precept against Almy issued last fall.

Ginn and Almy became involved in a lawsuit over a transaction over mining stocks and last September a precept was issued against Almy on the grounds that he was about to leave

## WAGE INCREASE

For Mill Operatives in  
Fitchburg

FITCHBURG, March 30.—The first cotton mill official outside of the southern New England and Berkshire county groups of manufacturers to announce a further advance in wages was R. D. Lowe, president of the Parkhill gingham mills, employing 1,500 operatives.

The following notice was posted in the mills this afternoon:  
"We will increase wages from April 2 and 3, returning to the old schedule of June, 1907."

In 1907 wages in the New England cotton mills reached high water mark. Fall River leading with an advance of ten per cent. to 23.95 cents a cut for weaving. Under the recent Fall River increase the weavers receive 21.62 cents per cut. The further rise at the Parkhill mills will bring the total advance this month to at least ten per cent.

A. H. Lowe, treasurer of the Parkhill mills, and president of the Lancaster mills, Clinton, said that nothing had been done regarding wages at the Clinton since the advance of five per cent. which the operatives refused to accept. The Lancaster mills have been shut down for a week.

## LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Hugh J. Molloy, of the State Normal school in Broadway, lectured before the Catholic Women's club of South Lawrence in Parochial hall, Thursday night, on Dickens' " Tale of Two Cities."

Rev. James M. Craig, of this city, spoke last night at the United Presbyterian church in Lawrence. His subject was "Faith" and his address was very forceful and interesting.

The members of Finton St. Jean Baptiste d'Ameyque, who are on the committee to purchase the Market library for the said union will hold a meeting in Manchester, N. H., tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mr. A. P. Hesson, third vice president general of the union. Mr. Jos. F. Montminy of this city is secretary of that committee and will be present tomorrow.

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# OXFORD VS. CAMBRIDGE

## Big Rowing Contest Today Was Called "No Race"

PUTNEY, England, March 30.—The annual rowing contest between eight-oared crews representing the Oxford and Cambridge universities which started this forenoon at Putney bridge was declared a "no race" by the umpires in consequence of both the shells becoming water-logged and sinking. The race is to be rowed again on Monday.

Oxford was robbed of what would have been an easy win by rough weather. The Cambridge shell was the first to go under water a little over a mile from the start. The boat began to ship water soon after the signal was given to start.

The Oxford crew managed to get as far as Chiswick Eyst, about three-quarters of the distance, when the boat held so much water that the crew had to go under water a little over a mile from the start. The Cambridge crew, however, the Dark Blues, after towing their boat on shore and emptying out the water re-embarked and finished the course.

Oxford took the lead in the race almost from the start. The Light Blues appeared nervous and besides taking in a miniature sea owing to the choppy waves they slipped more water from their oars. By the time they reached Harrold's store, a little over a mile from the start, they were compelled to abandon their boat, which was sinking. The majority of the crew succeeded in swimming ashore and the remainder were picked up by the umpire's boat.

The Oxford crew by hugging the shore kept out of the roughest weather until they reached Chiswick Eyst. There their coach ordered them to bail their shell but they were unable to do so or misunderstood the order. Instead of bailing they went ashore, which is a clear breach of the rules and the umpire's decision that the contest was "no race" was a foregone conclusion.

The official time for the whole course from Putney to Mortlake is given at 29 minutes, 29 seconds, but the Oxford crew had already occupied 15 minutes when their boat was swamped.

### RACE CALLED OFF

PUTNEY, England, March 30.—The annual eight-oared rowing contest between crews representing the Oxford and Cambridge universities, which started this forenoon at Putney bridge, was declared a "no race" after both the shells had become water-logged.

Except for the presence of a strong westerly wind, which boating experts on the river estimated would give

an advantage to the crew which won the toss for position and selected the Surrey or southern shore, delightful weather prevailed for the 69th inter-university boat race.

The course was the usual one from Putney bridge to Mortlake, a distance of 4 1/2 miles. At an early hour the towing paths and other vantage points along the riverside began to fill with the tens of thousands who annually attend the great aquatic struggle between the selected oarsmen of the two old universities.

While the contending crews had the wind to fight against at some of the more exposed points of the course, for the spectators it could not have been a better morning.

During the early hours there was a slight shower of rain but the sun soon appeared and those on the water and ashore enjoyed the spring weather.

The Oxford crew, which had been the favorite for some time, even overcame its position at the last moment. Guy Nickalls and other famous old Blues and other experts, were, however, of the opinion that although they considered the Dark Blues the better crew the great odds offered on them were unjustified.

The public was somewhat influenced in favor of the Oxford men because it was known that the crew had won a slight victory in the three preceding races and it expected them to establish a record by winning a fourth successive race.

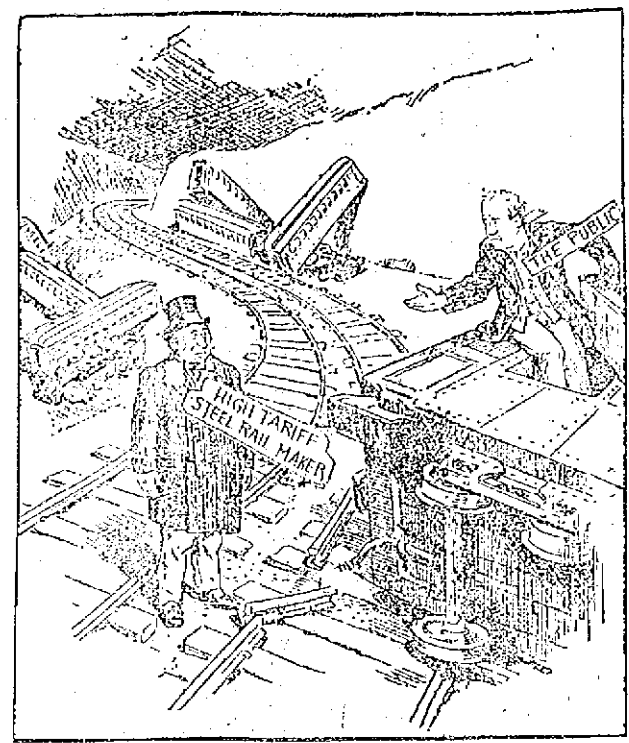
The bathtubs on the Surrey shore of Putney bridge were naturally the center of the greatest throngs and the crowd made a bright picture, as everybody sported dark or light blue ribbons.

When the shells were carried down the slope by the crews and placed in the water, the Oxford men could be seen to be a much heavier set than their Light Blue opponents. Their average weight was 175 pounds against the 166 pounds of the Cambridge men.

The loss for position was won by Oxford and the crews then paddled off to the boats moored just above Putney bridge from which they were to start. Oxford chose the Surrey side.

At the start both crews were soon in difficulties owing to the rough water created by the strong headwinds. Their progress was very slow and both shells were soon more or less water-logged. As they turned the bend off

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—De Mar in Philadelphia Record.

Craven cottage matters became worse and the Cambridge crew eventually abandoned the race before half the distance had been covered off Harrold's store.

The Oxford crew continued struggling against the adverse conditions but could make little headway. The boat, however, got as far as Chiswick Eyst, nearly three-quarters of the course, when it capsized. The men, however, succeeded in righting their craft and clambered in again. They then paddled along to Mortlake and completed the course but the judges, after consideration, declared the contest "no race."

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Only two more chances to witness the beautiful colored motion pictures of "The Passion Play" at the Opera House, as the engagement will close with this afternoon and evening performance and an entire new program will be given Sunday afternoon and evening. "The Passion Play" as presented in the Pathe Motion pictures now being shown at the Opera House, is an interesting and vivid picture story of the life of Christ, and an entertainment that is interesting to child and adult and is so plainly beautiful that the smallest child could understand the sublime story told. At the matinee today the price of admission will be ten cents to all parts of the house and to night the admission is ten cents, reserved seats twenty cents.

MONTGOMERY & STONE. Charles Dillingham is the managerial sponsor for the production which excited general comment by reason of its popularity during the long run of "The Old Town" at Mr. Dillingham's new Globe theatre in New York and globe engagements at the Colonial and Boston theatres last year. A cast of superior excellence is promised and as an added feature of the performance "The Old Town" Pony Ballet are introduced in several dance specialties. The engagement of "The Old Town" will surely duplicate its former success of last season as the side already demonstrates capacity business.

### KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

The headline act at Keith's next week will be E. Hawley, the eminent actor and Miss Frances Halliday in the celebrated one act tragedy "The Barretts". presented with elaborate scenic effects. The story is thrilling throughout concluding with a tragic and most impressive climax. Mr. Hawley is one of America's leading character actors and the demand for his services on the vaudeville stage has been constant and continuous and has kept him in vaudeville continuously for several seasons. Miss Halliday is a charming and artistic emotional actress. Great attention has been given to the staging of the piece and the scenic effects are striking throughout. Bert Fitzgibbon, the daffydilly comedian, who is comedy from the tip of his head to the tip of his fingers and who comes here direct from Keith's Fifth Avenue theatre, New York, is the kid member of the famous comedy trio, Fitzgibbon, McCoy and Fitzgibbon, being the son and heir of Fitzgibbon and McCoy. He was practically born on the comedy stage and has been on it since he was old enough to say funny things. He's a certain "It" himself and a high class musical team and their act never fails to please. Chick and Chicklets are a quartet of wonderful bicycle performers. Their act is new and different in a number of respects from any which act ever presented here. "The Circle Bell" is a novel feature of their act. The Loretta Twins and company perform on the triple bars. They are fair to behold and do a remarkable and graceful bar act. Russell and Gray have a balance of song and jest which drives dull care away. Gertrude Fiske is a singer of comedy songs and a big hit. Ben Brant is a cartoonist who does lightning work in colors. An exceptionally strong bill is offered for tomorrow's concert. Among the features are Murray and Fiske's grand opera sextet, Belle and Fiske's in a delightful musical act, Joyce and Bennett, Laving and Bennett and others.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Next week is farewell week for Our Stock company at the Merrimack Square theatre. This announcement will, no doubt, be met with a feeling of disappointment by the hosts of followers that have applauded at the shrine of this most popular little band of artists, for 21 successful weeks. And now that it has been decided, and next week is going to be farewell week, the management has planned to give a revival of the two most successful plays in Our Stock company's repertoire, namely, "What Money Can Buy" for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and "The Choice" for Friday and Saturday. "The Choice" in both pieces Miss Catherine Jackson and Mr. Kendall Weston will be seen. So don't forget to attend at least one or the other of the sketches before "Good Bye Night" which will be Saturday evening, April 6. On the same bill is another act

which deserves special mention, billed as Fennell & Tyson. This clever pair, who, by the way, are not long across, have an act that is said to be one of the best singing and dancing acts in vaudeville. It is bristling with new up to date comedy and will, no doubt, please.

Miss Alice Duncan known as "The Green Girl from Greenville," is a comedienne with an act which gives splendid opportunity to display her talent as a singer and artist and as Alice has never failed to "put it over" she will probably be one of the hits on next week's bill. Then we have Aureliana, a female impersonator who is said to compare favorably with America's foremost in that line. Aureliana sings some of the most popular ballads, is a graceful dancer and wears a \$1000 costume that has been the envy of the ladies. There are also the photographs which will be new and of the best.

Patrons of the Merrimack Square are reminded that there will be no performance on Good Friday, the theatre being closed all day. For Sunday's sacred concert the following acts appear: Bradley Martin Co., Pyand and Manny, Ben Cos, Callahan and Sweeney, Alice Bagley and others. Also new pictures that will be enjoyable.

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A spring tonic is admittedly a good thing at this season of the year but a hearty laugh oftentimes accomplishes more good, and the show at the Academy this week is put together with the idea of creating laughter. Clifton and Carson in a crazy comedy sketch, but including some clever card-tossing, follow closely to the Hatfield Stock company in a hearing comedy entitled "Mal Look at Him" with Eddie Larose as the "silly kid." Katherine Jennings sings "Fairy Moon." There are good motion pictures and illustrated songs to make up the balance of the show.

### COHEN ASSAULTED ATTACKED BY FOUR YOUNG MEN IN HIS SHOP

MEDFORD, March 30.—Morris Cohen who conducts a shoe repairing shop on the first floor of the building at 429 Main street, So. Medford, was beaten by four young men in his place of business about 8:30 last evening. "The identity of his assailants has not been established and the police, after a

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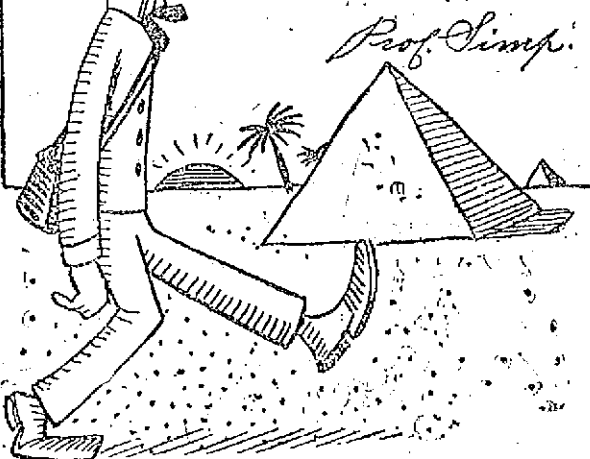
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## MURDERER OF BOY

Is Now Believed to be a Local Degenerate Youth

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 30.—With additional clues to guide them the police continued their efforts to find the murderer of 13-year-old William Mathers, Jr., with confidence that they would be able to arrest the slayer of the boy before the day was over. Chief George J. Willis reiterated his claim today that he knew the boy who committed the murder, knew where he was and was only waiting to secure more uncontroverted evidence before causing an arrest.

There is a difference of opinion regarding the motive for the crime but the theory that the boy was killed by a degenerate only a few years his senior seemed to be more largely accepted by the townspeople than the first supposition that he was murdered for the possession of a new dollar watch. The fact that a boy of the neighborhood had twice been caught enticing children into the path of woods in which the murdered boy's body was found and had attempted to assault them is stated to bear out the pervert theory.

The theory that William Mathers was killed by a degenerate is scouted by the boy's parents, who believe that he was murdered for the watch.

Mrs. Lillian Dubuque took strenuous objection today to the examination of her son, who is 15 years old, in connection with the case. A had a spirit of argument with Special Constable Lefebvre on the subject. The Dubuque boy is said to have told several conflicting stories, first saying that he was with the Mathers boy on the night he disappeared and then declaring that he didn't know the boy at all. Because of this fact the police have been keeping young Dubuque under surveillance.

### ELEANOR SEARS

IS MAKING A WALK OF 115 MILES

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—Eleanor Sears of Boston had completed early today more than half of 115 mile walk from Burlington to Del Monte. She is trying to break a record established some years ago by an Englishman. Miss Sears is accompanied by a professional pedestrian and boy's parents, who believe that he was murdered for the watch.

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### STRIKERS RETURN

Trouble in Shoe Factory Ended

LAWRENCE, March 30.—In accordance with the agreement yesterday between the striking employees of the Alfred Kimball shoe factory and the management all returned to work today. The terms of the settlement was said to be satisfactory to both sides.

### TIMOTHY COAKLEY

WAS RELEASED FROM BOSTON STATE HOSPITAL

BOSTON, March 30.—Timothy W. Coakley, the Boston lawyer and orator sent to Boston state hospital at the instance of Chief Justice Alken and Justice Chase for observation as to his sanity, was discharged from the hospital yesterday afternoon and will today resume his law practice.

With Dr. Edward B. Lane, one of the physicians who examined him; Miss Anne Coakley, his sister, and a few acquaintances, Mr. Coakley left the hospital about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and went to his home in South Boston. The three doctors who examined Mr. Coakley reported to Judges Grant and George in the probate court yesterday noon that they found no proof that at present he is insane and that they could not sign or file a certificate asking for commitment of the patient.

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# RODDY AND GODDARD

## Lowell Men Will Appear in B. A. A. Marathon, April 19

Lowell will be well represented at the annual B. A. A. Marathon to be held from Ashland to the B. A. A. club house, Exeter street, Boston, on April 19. At the present time two Lowell men have sent in their entrance blanks.

Goddard, who resides at 19 Dempsey place, both young men are chums and are training together for the event. Roddy, who is better known as Christy, has taken part in several long distance runs and has shown to good advantage in all. In the run from Lowell to Rockingham park on November 25, last year he ran the distance but was not among the winners. In that race,



CHRISTOPHER RODDY.



GEORGE GODDARD.

too, Goddard covered the distance, running beside Roddy the entire distance. Since then both men have been training hard and they expect to make a good showing in the race April 19.

Wednesday of this week Goddard ran from Lakeview to the corner of Bridge and First streets in 25 minutes. Last fall while working in Felham Young Goddard every evening would run from there to his home in this city. This is a distance of seven miles and the runs gave him great practice. He has kept in condition all the time.

Roddy has done most of his training on the North common and yesterday he and Goddard ran ten miles on the track there. Both were in good condition at the end of the run. Tomorrow the two men will ride to Hudson, N. H., and run back to this city.

### BOSTON BOXERS

#### Failed to Put in an Appearance

The bouts scheduled for the Lowell Athletic club last night were called off, owing to the non-appearance of the Boston boxers. Three of the men who were signed were not present at the time of the start of the meeting. The other advertised men were there and Tommy Manganin informed the president of the club that he saw the Boston boxers at the station when he came from there. He said that he spoke to one of them and that he said he was coming as his manager told him.

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### NO CELLAR BERTH FOR BOSTON NATIONALS THIS SEASON

JOHNNY KLING.  
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BOSTON, March 30.—"Those wise lads who are predicting a cellar berth for the Boston Nationals are going to be rudely jolted this season," so says Manager Johnny Kling. The new leader of the Braves claims that he has a better team than most believe. The catching department is well looked af-

ter, the infield is very nifty, while the suburban trio is one of the best in the league. The only weak spot—and not a very weak one at that—is the pitching staff, Kling says he has landed a couple of promising twirlers. So this will brace up the box department of the club. It is a good base running and batting club.

ing well. He will remain here for a few weeks and the members may have an opportunity to see him in action during his stay here. In recognition of this week there will be no meeting of the club next Friday.

### THE "WIDEAWAKES" Took Game From the "Sleepyheads"

Two teams of young ladies from the Lawrence box shop, known as the Wideawakes and the Sleepyheads, met on Lee's Misericord alleys last night and enjoyed the sport, with the results that the "live ones" won two strings and the total.

On the Moody Bridge alleys the C. M. A. C. took all the points from the Druggists in the Moody Bridge league series.

The Merrimack repair shop team took everything from the Swift Machine shop team in an interesting game last night.

The Lamson company team won all the points from the C. Y. M. L. team on the Crescent alleys last night.

At the Brunswick alleys the Montauks took three strings and the total from the Tremont and Suffolk team.

The scores:

Wideawakes			
T. Jacques	61	35	76
M. Brien	47	29	31
E. Fraiser	55	63	75
J. Hubert	58	62	69
Z. Bailey	69	71	88
A. Simonau	41	76	69
Totals	331	396	1132

Sleepyheads			
J. Silcox	80	59	72
N. Simonau	60	56	43
B. Jacques	61	41	64
B. Carpenter	67	66	55
D. Brien	67	80	56
N. Harwood	38	65	79
Totals	353	367	1039

C. M. A. C.			
McDermott	80	109	84
Cote	73	33	95
Mullin	85	93	87
L'Herraux	102	83	82
Pigeon	91	89	96
Totals	436	456	1833

Druggists			
Ledoux	88	90	86
Dubois	79	84	88
Fortier	75	83	79
Lavallee	87	76	83
Caluso	103	95	89
Totals	433	428	1276

Merrimack Repair Shop			
Boudin	90	91	57
Watson	101	93	89
Clark	95	89	87
Brown	89	92	96
Chapman	83	94	97
Totals	468	459	1339

Swift Machine Shop			
Phil	87	89	86
Mack	86	90	92
Nap	90	89	85
Green	82	82	67
Davis	87	89	91
Totals	441	449	1334

C. Y. M. L.			
Murphy	65	83	86
C. Flynn	97	80	96
E. S. Vee	93	83	74
M. Fleming	76	77	78
J. Jodoin	76	79	77
Totals	407	433	1376

Lamson Co.			
Grant	92	79	78
Thompson	92	86	83
Jackson	82	89	83
Feyler	84	82	80
McDonald	92	96	103
Totals	438	441	1314

Tremont & Suffolk			
French	90	87	85
Kenney	80	106	87
Sabre	81	88	73
Lebourdais	83	88	89
Jordin	82	91	85
Totals	422	459	1301

Montauks			
Quinn	74	93	82
Corbett	70	89	99
Cardin	79	89	95
Callahan	109	104	76
Curry	80	85	84
Totals	415	460	1311

### OFFICERS CHOSEN BY N. E. CONFERENCE OF THE EVANGELICAL ASSOCIATION

At the New England Conference of the Evangelical association yesterday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. J. E. Taylor, president; Rev. F. L. Stevens, treasurer; Rev. D. W. Stafford, secretary. The afternoon session was occupied with the business of the New England conference. The reports of the retiring officers were read and approved and the following were elected as presiding elders for the coming year: Rev. F. L. Stevens and Rev. G. A. Doty. The evening session was opened with a praise service following which Rev. D. W. Stafford preached a revival sermon. At the close of the sermon Rev. J. P. Irving conducted the after meeting.

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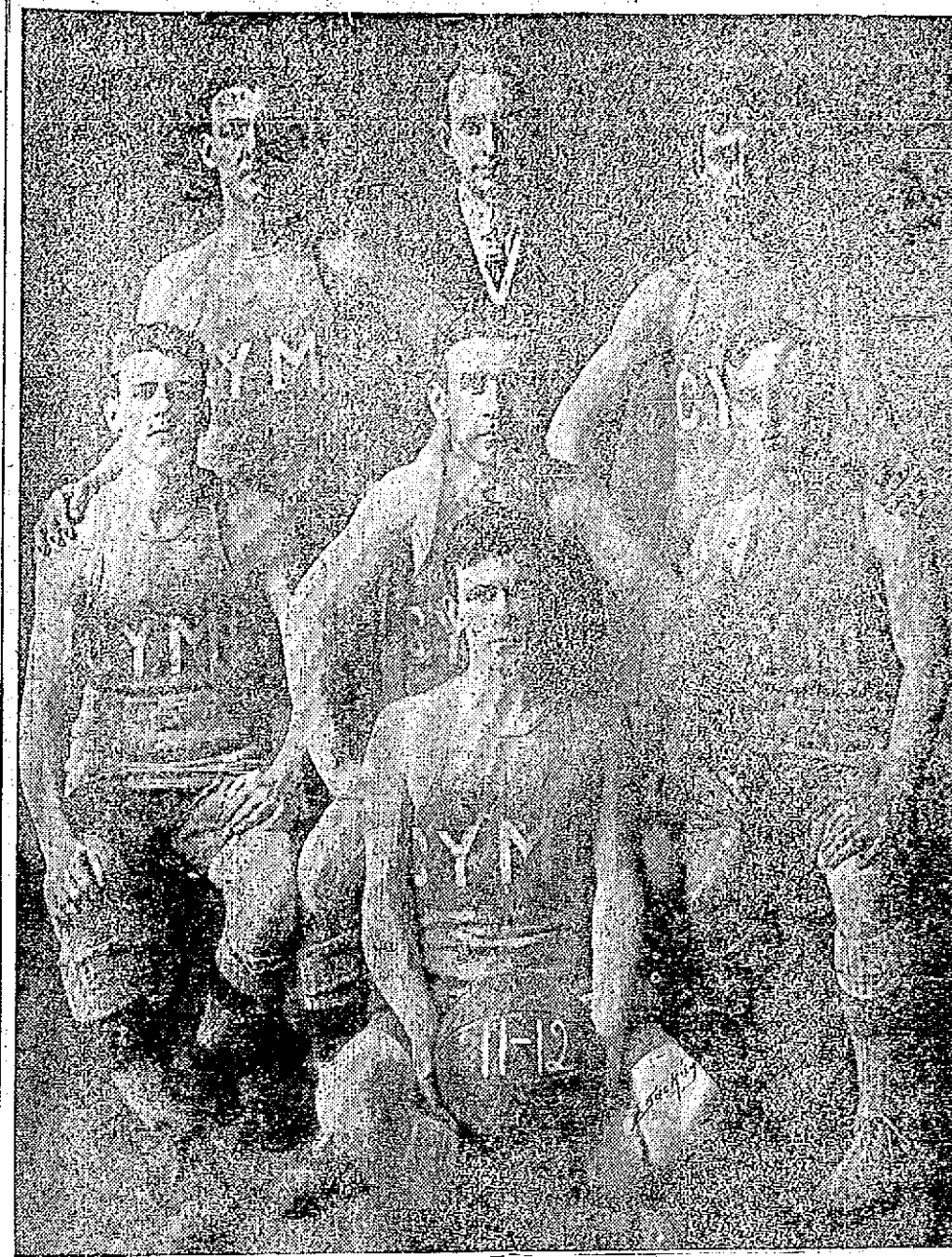


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THE C. Y. M. L. BASKETBALL TEAM

Back row—Paul Fawcette, centre; Edward Quinn, manager; Louis Florey, utility. Middle row—Charles Flynn, forward; Thomas Maloney, forward; Edward Brennan, back. Front row—Fred Flynn, captain and back.

The above cut shows the members of the C. Y. M. L. basketball team who have represented the Lyndon on the floor for the past five years with great success. This year, the record of the team is one of the best since it was formed and they now claim the championship of the city. The team has played many games this season in this city and out of town and has shown

great ability in all. Of the recent games played here the one with the Mysteries, of Centralville, was the most exciting seen here in a long time. The team is being ably managed this season by Edward Quinn, who is well acquainted with all angles of the game. He has several other games on his schedule yet to be played. In all games that the team has appeared

the great team work stood out conspicuously. The reason of the excellent team work is due to the fact that the men have played together so long that they are acquainted with all the plays and tricks of each other, and none tries for individual work. The manager also encourages team work and judging by the remarkable record that the team has made the past five years, he has the right dope.

## THE MICHIGAN GIANT

### Was Severely Punished by Jim Savage Last Night

NEW YORK, March 30.—Al Kubiak and Jim Savage boxed 20 fast and furious rounds to a draw at the Longacre A. A. last night. Kubiak, scored three knockdowns, one in the second, one in the ninth and one in the 10th round, but between times Savage gave the Michigan giant a terrific whaling. Kubiak weighed 213 pounds and Savage 176 pounds.

In the first round both men battered each other with heavy body smashes. In the second Kubiak slammed over a right to the jaw and Jim fell to his face, striking his head on the floor. He got up at the count of eight and sailed into Kubiak.

After that Savage cut Kubiak's nose and mouth and closed his right eye, besides pulling up the left optic. In the ninth Kubiak dropped Savage with a right to the temple. Jim got up at the count of nine and stalled through the round.

In the 10th with everything going in Savage's favor, Kubiak clipped over a left to the stomach and down went James for the third time. But he came back at the count of seven and was working hard at the bell.

**UNHOLY WHIPS ALBERTS**

CLEVELAND, March 30.—Barring Attila's humiliation by Kilbaue, this seems the era of the "old man" in pugilism. Last night at the Cleveland Athletic club Unholz, who is not by any means young, bored his way into a decision over "Kid" Alberts, a clean-cut juvenile from Elizabeth, N. J., in 10 rounds.

Alberts was punished very little, but the experienced German made the contest by his leading and he outpointed his opponent decidedly. Alberts might have won if he would have hit Unholz, but the wise old Boer wouldn't let him.

**WALSH TO MEET COSTER**

NEW YORK, March 30.—Jimmy Walsh of Boston has been selected by the McMahon boys as an opponent for Joe Coster in the second round of the featherweight elimination tournament at the Empira A. C. on April 10. Tommy Houck and Johnny Dundee will be the principals in the other 10-round bout on the same evening, and the winners will be matched to meet in the final round about a week later.

cope successfully with his clever antagonist.

**REDDY WON OUT**

NEW YORK, March 30.—"Batling" Reddy and Barry Hill boxed 10 fast rounds last night at the New Polo A. C. in Harlem and at the end Reddy was entitled to the decision, having had the better of the five sessions, while the other five were even.

**\$10,000 FOR BOUT**

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Jack O'Brien of the American A. C. last night announced from the ring that he will give Jack Johnson \$10,000 to box Joe Jeannette six rounds at his club.

**YOUNG ERNE WON**

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Young Erne had little trouble in besting Young Jack O'Brien at the American A. C. last night. Erne's greater experience, better generalship and hard hitting abilities made the bout an easy one for him.

**O'KEEFE AND LANGDON**

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Tommy O'Keefe and Tommy Langdon, both local boys, boxed to a draw last night in the windup at the Nonpareil A. C.

### HENRY BAILEY Chosen Capt. of High School Track Team

By a vote of the "I" men Henry Bailey was chosen captain of the High school track team for next season. Bailey is a very clever athlete and has been seen to good advantage in the football as well as track line during the past few seasons. The only other candidate for the captaincy of the team was Bowers, the 1000 yard man who is a sophomore this year. Bailey will graduate next year, hence the choice fell to him. The latter will also manage the school baseball team this season.

Capt. Edward Cawley of the baseball team announces that the baseball practice will be started indoors on Monday. There is a large list of candidates and the captain expects that the team this year will be a good one. The teachers and the students will make an effort to put baseball to the front this year. While the teams representing the school in the past years have been very strong, they did not prove successful financially.

**TEXTILE SCHOOL NEWS**

Mr. John Shannow '13, now connected with the Shambon Shuttle Co., visited the school on Thursday. Osborn McArthur '13 has returned to school after an absence of three weeks on account of sickness. Ernest Wood '11, now traveling for a Worcester chemical concern, paid a visit to the school on Wednesday. James Murray, of Lawrence, a member of the sophomore class, was suddenly seized with severe pains in the stomach on Friday. Murray was given medical aid and carried to the railroad station in a cab. His condition is reported as serious.

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# A MONSTER PARADE

## To Escort Returning Children of Strikers From Depot

LAWRENCE, March 30.—A monster demonstration in celebration of the recent victory of the textile strikers and to welcome home the 350 children who were cared for in New York, Philadelphia, Manchester and Barre, Vt., during the struggle, was planned for late today. Twenty thousand mill workers were to parade.

The children were expected to reach here on the afternoon train from Boston. Upon their arrival the mill operatives will start their parade of the principal streets of the city. Included among the marchers, it was said, would be 1000 Lowell textile strikers. The parade was to end on the Common, from which place the Lowell strikers were to be escorted to the Franco-Belgian hall for dinner.

# THE COAL OPERATORS

## Will Confer With Miners' Committee Again

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—Another meeting of the anthracite operators and the committee of the miners, the date of which will be set today, has given rise to hopes that a settlement of wages and other questions will be amicably reached and that the suspension of work in the hard coal region that commences on April 1 will be of short duration.

The settlement of the difficulties in the bituminous region, it was said here today, will strengthen the position of the hard coal miners in case of a strike, as they would receive financial support from the soft coal men who would be at work.

### FUNERALS

**FITZPATRICK**—The funeral of the late Margaret A. Fitzpatrick, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Belvidere, took place this morning from her home, 75 Fort Hill avenue. The remains were taken to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Fox, O. M. I. Rev. John J. McHugh, of St. Patrick's church, assisted at the service within the sanctuary. At the mass was a large gathering of sorrowing relatives and friends including many of the older families of North Billerica, where the deceased formerly resided, and friends from Boston, Georgetown and Peabody. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered the Gregorian plain chant. At the offertory, Mr. William P. Gookin sang Leybach's beautiful "Pie Jesu." After the elevation, "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by John J. Dalton. At the conclusion of the service, the Libera was sung, Mrs. Hugh Walker sustaining the solo, and as the casket was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by Edward P. Shea, assisted by the choir. The ushers at the home and church were: Dr. Joseph P. Kearney, John P. Boulger, Charles P. Smith and Charles Fitzpatrick. The casket was borne by Hon. John F. McLean and Messrs. George P. Greene, John Garrahan, James Donovan, William Gannon and John Murningham. The interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where services at the grave were conducted by Fr. Fox, assisted by Fr. McHugh. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter Davay. A wealth of floral tributes bore fragrant testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased was held and among the floral offerings were the following: Pillow, inscribed "Sister," from family of deceased; cross on base inscribed "Cousin," from Daniel, Margaret and Annie Fitzpatrick; wreath, John S. Welch and John H. Murningham; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Flood; crescent, Lizzie, Ella, and Hannah Gannon of Billerica; basket, Mr. Bernard Kearney and family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Garrahan; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kearney, Billerica; spray, Mrs. Fitzpatrick and family; spray, The Misses Fitzgerald; spray, Mr. John Boulger; spray, W. S. Ellis of Boston; wreath on base inscribed "Sweet Rest in Heaven," from Mrs. C. Casey and family; wreath on base, Charles P. Smith and sister; wreath, Hon. and Mrs. John F. McLean; wreath, Daniel P. Bresnahan of Peabody; spray, Mrs. J. J. McMahon; spray, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Connor; spray of white roses and English violets, from the Misses Shane of Boston; spray, Katherine McQuade; spray, William J. Lane and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunn; spray, Mr. Morrison and family; spray, Margaret Harrington; spray, Robert Shepard and family; cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knapp; spray, Donovan family; wreath of white roses, Davey family; spray, William Gannon and family; spray, Mrs. Susan Murphy; spray, Miss Lizzie Maxwell and family of Billerica; Mr. and Mrs. James H. Coyle; spray, Mr. V. B. Wilbur; mound, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hanson; spiritual bouquet, Miss Rose Gosselin; spiritual bouquet,

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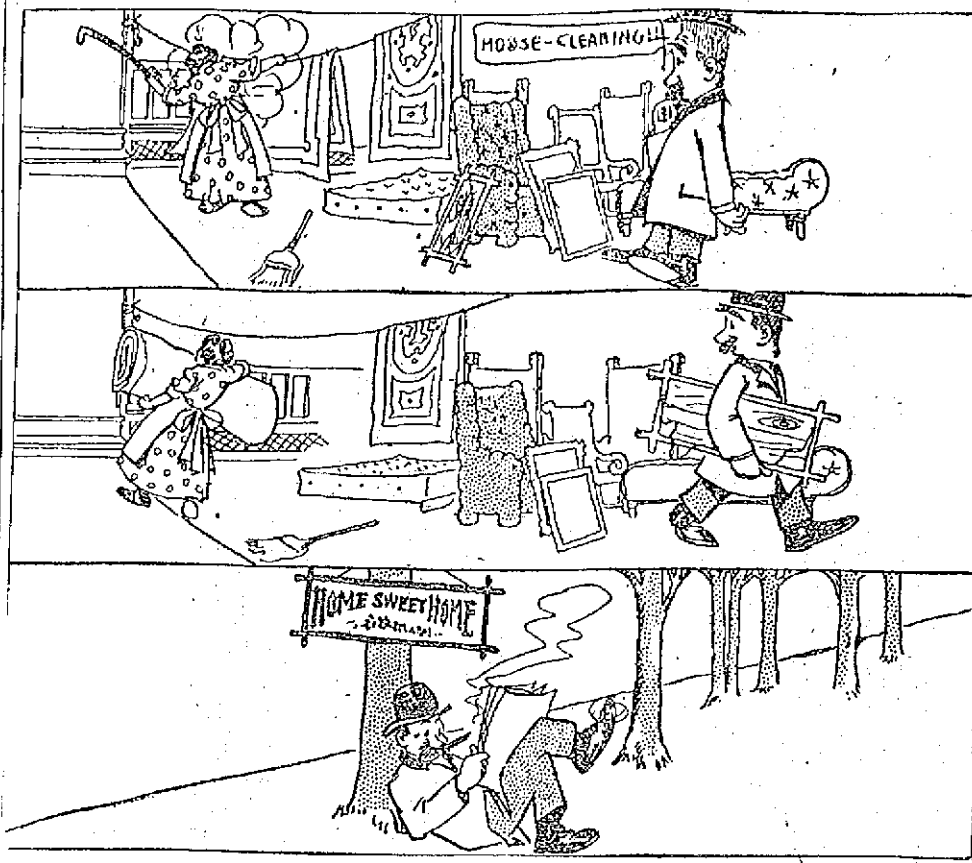
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At the Fletcher farm, North road, Chelmsford Centre, I shall sell at public auction the following mentioned articles: 2 pairs of horses, 1 single horse, 3 pairs double harnesses, 1 single harness, 10 collars, 7 blankets, 5 feed bags, 1 pair lead reins, 1 pair pole straps, 2 halters, grain, 2 grain chests, 4 two-horse carts, 1 one-horse cart, 1 square wagon, 9 wheelbarrows, 6 pairs lead chains, 4 spreaders, 3 neck yokes, also about 1½ tons of hay.

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**PETELLO**—The funeral of Mrs. Regis Petello, nee Aurelie Gervais, widow of the late Regis Petello, took place yesterday at 7:45 o'clock from the rooms of Undertaker Archambault in Kermack street. At 8 o'clock a funeral mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Fr. Deziel, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Frank Gaudreau sang the Gregorian mass, Miss Blodine Chapdelaine presiding at the organ. The bearers were Joseph Guay, Omer Deziel, Ludger Lemire and J. R. Picard of Quebec. There were many out of town relatives at the funeral, including Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Picard of Quebec, Miss Priscilla Petello of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petello of New York City, Miss Delia Petello of Salem, Mrs. W. Laviolette of Providence. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, Rev. Fr. Baron officiating at the grave. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Amee Archambault.

**MATTHEWS**—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Matthews, who died in Plattsburgh, New York, took place from the chapel in the Edison cemetery yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. W. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham Street P. M. church, and the bearers were Messrs. Walter Alder, Wallace Alder, William Klock and Frank Cox. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

**RYDER**—The funeral of Mrs. Carrie

A. Ryder took place from her residence, 219 East Merrimack street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Private services were conducted by Rev. S. W. Cummings, pastor of the First Baptist church, and the burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Cummings read the committal services at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

**PASTERZYK**—The funeral of Adolf Pasterzyk took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 95 Lakeview avenue, and proceeded to the Holy Trinity church in High street, where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Ogowski. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

**MCCARREN**—The funeral of the late Mary McCarren took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons, and proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Daniel Heffernan. The choir sang the Gregorian mass, the solo being sustained by Miss Gertrude Keisher and Mr. James L. Donnelly. As the remains were being borne from the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." Mrs. John W. McKenna presided at the organ. The bearers were William Thompson, William Anthony and John J. Irvin. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

**CAZAROPULOS**—The funeral of Anselvas Cazaropulos took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy in Market street. Services were held in the Greek Orthodox church at 9:15 by Rev. C. H. Demetriy. The burial was in the Edison cemetery where Fr. Demetriy

read the prayers at the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

**MEGAS**—Evanthia Megas, child of Antonas and Panagiotis died this morning at the Lowell corporation hospital, aged 8 days. The funeral took place at 3 o'clock from the chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy on Market street. Services were held in the Greek Orthodox church at 9:15 by Rev. C. H. Demetriy. The burial was in the Edison cemetery where Fr. Demetriy read the prayers at the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

**BROWN**—The funeral of Edwin A. Brown, aged 87 years, who died in New York City on Wednesday, took place this noon from the funeral parlors of Undertaker C. M. Young in Prescott street. Services were held, Rev. Fr. Macdonald officiating. The interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**CROSS**—Died, in Dracut, March 22, at his home in Hildreth street, John Cross, aged 73 years, 1 month and 20 days. Strictly private funeral services will be held from the home of his son, Mr. Charles F. Cross, 277 Summer street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are requested to omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**HOBBS**—Died, in North Chelmsford, March 30, John C. Hobbs, aged 73 years and 29 days. Funeral services will be held at the late home, in Wright street, North Chelmsford, Tuesday at 9 o'clock. Friends are requested to omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**FLYNN**—The funeral of the late Mrs. James B. Flynn will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 55 State street. Solemn high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**HOGAN**—The funeral of the late William Hogan will be held Monday at 9 o'clock from his late home, 4 Adelphi street, North Chelmsford. High mass of requiem at St. John's church, North Chelmsford, at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**SMITH**—The funeral of the late William H. Smith will take place from the funeral parlors of O. M. Young in Prescott street "tomorrow" afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited.

**PHILBRICK**—In Ayer, March 29, Frederick G. Philbrick, aged 62 years. Funeral services will be held Monday at 12 o'clock at St. Andrew's Episcopal church. Private burial in Old English cemetery, Lowell. The funeral will be under the direction of J. A. Weinbeck.

### DEATHS

**DUMONT**—John J. Dumont, a well known young man of Centralville, died this morning at his home, No. 100 West Sixth street, after a lingering illness. He was 33 years of age. He is survived by his wife, Catherine McGuane Dumont, and three children, Harold, Hazel and Joseph; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. David Dumont, and four sisters, Henrietta, Mary, Emily and Eva Dumont. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

**HOGAN**—William Hogan, well known in this city, died this morning at his home, 4 Amherst street, North Chelmsford, aged 56 years. Deceased was for 35 years a second hand in the Tremont & Suffolk mills. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Annie Hogan, and one sister, Mrs. Michael Mahoney, the latter of Lowell.

**SMITH**—William H. Smith, aged 71 years and 10 months, died Thursday at the Soldiers' home in Chelsea. He is survived by one son, William H. Smith, Jr., of London, Ontario, and one daughter, Mrs. Grace Murphy of Stamford, Conn. The deceased was a member of Post 185, G. A. R.

**PHILBRICK**—Frederick G. Philbrick died yesterday at his home in Ayer, aged 62 years. Death was very sudden, and will be a great shock to his many friends. Mr. Philbrick has lived in Ayer for 25 years and has been active in both church and business affairs. He leaves one brother, Charles H. Philbrick, a nephew, Albert R. of Lowell and two nieces, Mrs. Clarence N. Childs and Mrs. Fred C. Austin.

**FLYNN**—Mrs. Stephen Flynn, wife of City Clerk Flynn, died yesterday at her home, 55 State street, aged 31 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by four children, John, Peter, Ellen and Agnes Margaret; her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connolly, of Ottawa, Can.; four brothers, Patrick, Peter, Joseph and James; also three sisters, Nellie, Edna, both and Alice Connolly. Mrs. Flynn was well and favorably known throughout the city, and the news of

# WARREN MILL STRIKE

## Prospect of Long Period of Idleness in the Mills

WEST WARREN, March 30.—The prospect of a long period of idleness, due to the strike of 1200 textile operatives at the three local mills of the Thorndike company, has resulted in the departure of more than 200 mill workers within the past few days. Some of the operatives have gone to other textile centers to seek employment, while a large number have started to return to their former homes in Poland. In some of the New England cotton manufacturing cities and towns a shortage of help has been reported. The agent of a manufacturing company with factories in Rhode Island has been here endeavoring to secure help for his mill but it is understood the strikers did not seem satisfied with the inducements offered by him. A meeting of the strikers was arranged to be held here sometime during the day.

# HEIR TO A FORTUNE

## Pittsfield Man Died in Poverty at Toledo, Ohio

TOLEDO, O., March 30.—The body of a man who was known as Daggin prior to his death, one month ago, has been identified in the morgue as George Chamberlain of Pittsfield, Mass., for whom relatives have been seeking for 25 years. It develops that Chamberlain has an estate of \$5000, which his relatives have sought to turn over to him. Chamberlain was taken from a lodging house one month ago and died in a local hospital.

her death will come as a sad blow to her many friends.

**LAUZIERE**—Arthur Lauzriere, aged 15 years, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 650 Middlesex street. He leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Lauzriere, and three brothers, Joseph, Antonio and Zoltique Lauzriere.

**PATERSON**—John D. Paterson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Paterson of Fitchburg, formerly of Lowell, died Thursday in the Parkland hospital. Besides his parents he leaves four sisters, Mrs. S. Murray and the Misses Jeanette and Mae Paterson and Mrs. H. G. Carlson of Lowell. He was 13 years, 9 months and 28 days old.

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## SMOOT PENSION BILL

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WASHINGTON, March 30.—The senate last night by a vote of 51 to 16 rejected the Smoot pension bill, which would have increased the pension roll by \$20,000,000 annually during the next five years.

The entire negative vote on the final passage of the bill was cast by democratic senators from southern states. The northern democrats voted with the republicans for the bill.

## YOUNG'S PIER BURNED

Fire at Atlantic City Causes Loss of \$250,000

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 30.—Young's ocean pier, one of the big features along the sea front of this resort, was destroyed by fire early today. One of the firemen who fell through a roof was injured.

The pier was about 2,500 feet long. The whole structure with the exception of about 150 feet at the shore end was completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$250,000 and is only partly covered by insurance.

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## GETS A DIVORCE

Court Finds in Favor of Dr. Heims

BOSTON, March 30.—Dr. Henry Heims was granted a divorce nisi against Irma Blanche Wright Heims by Judge Quinn at the close of the week session of divorce court yesterday on the ground of intoxication. The judge dismissed the wife's libel for non-support and cruel and abusive treatment.

About 140 cases were tried at this session and decisions were given yesterday in all but two or three, which will come later.

A decree nisi was granted Mrs. Grace M. Jones against Robert R. Jones on the ground of infidelity. He is a writer of songs. They were married in Clayton, O., in 1905, and lived in Boston. Mrs. Jones was allowed to resume her maiden name.

Mrs. Ethel S. Whitten was given a decree nisi against Robert C. Whitten on the ground of infidelity. Mr. Whitten is a singer in church choirs and concerts. The co-respondent was also a choir singer and lived in Dorchester. Mr. Whitten was represented at the trial only on the question of alimony.

In the case of Robert T. Dalton against his wife, Helen M. Dalton, which was an action for the custody of three children, and came up on appeal from a decision of Judge Grant of the probate court, who granted the custody of the children to the father, Judge Quinn reaffirmed the lower court's decision.

Mrs. Dalton testified yesterday her husband had threatened to kill her. She admitted knowing a man by the name of "Jack" Johnson and admitted she lived in Cambridge and Revere under the name of Mrs. Johnson, but explained that she used that name so that her brother could not find her and ask her for loans she could not give him.

**MONTREAL FINED \$200**  
NEW YORK, March 30.—Pres. Barrow of the International League filed a \$200 fine against the Montreal club yesterday for permitting the draft of the International League schedule to get out of its hands before it was officially released. The schedule was printed in two Montreal papers several weeks before the time set by the league.

President Barrow says that he found that Manager Tush gave out the schedule, but that Tush was ignorant of the fact that there was a penalty for doing so. However, Mr. Barrow could find no way to avoid fining the Montreal club, as he held it guilty of the offense.

**BEST CASTOFFS FOR GRAYS**  
NEW ORLEANS, March 30.—The Detroit youngsters, whom Manager Jennings may see fit to discard before reaching the home lot, cannot hope to become Providence Grays. "If a man isn't good enough to stick with us while we are playing with clubs of the smaller leagues in the south and carouse home, he isn't good enough to play ball in Providence," said Jennings yesterday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing publicly our sincere thanks to our many relatives, neighbors and friends who by their many acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral offerings helped to lighten the burden of sorrow at the sudden death of our beloved husband and father. We are especially grateful to the members of the Lowell Police department, Knights of Columbus and Industry Council, R. A. for the many kind favors shown, also for their beautiful floral offerings. Each and all we will ever hold in loving remembrance. Signed,  
Mrs. Catherine Cogger and family.

## REAL ESTATE SALES

Transactions Recorded for the Past Week

LOWELL

Florence L. Buck's exor. to George Hall, land and buildings on Lamp street, \$1300.

C. Julius Huntley to Sam Cohen, land at cor. Washington and Leverett streets, \$1.

Harlow H. Rogers to Margaret A. Hurst, land on Wentworth avenue, \$1.

Frank S. Benn to Noble M. Charlton et ux., land on Highland avenue, \$1.

Annie Dens to Alexander B. Trudeau, land and buildings on Ennell street, \$1.

Abbie R. Leary to Mary E. O'Dowd, land and buildings on High street, \$1.

Charles C. Durshoff to Mary E. Hestley, land and buildings on South Whipple street, \$1.

John J. O'Connor to Grace Delaney et al., land at cor. Plymouth street and Colonial avenue, \$1.

Katherine M. Lawler to Margaret E. Green, land and buildings at cor. Lakeview avenue and Ferry lane, \$1.

Lizzie McLean Carney to Edgar H. Parker, land on Mt. Hope street, \$1.

John Annett to Alfred St. Cyr, land and buildings on Boylston street, \$1600.

William H. Gately to Annie F. Duffy, land on Methuen street, \$1.

E. Ward P. Masse Land Co., Inc., to Helene Tremblay, land at Pleasantdale, \$1.

Patrik J. Gately et ux. by mtge. to Jerome Gookin, land and buildings on Appleton street, \$6500.

Frank Goldman to Jerome Gookin, land and buildings on Appleton street, \$1.

Walter L. Pratt et al. to Lizzie J. Gould, land on Pratt street, \$1.

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Fred L. Knapp et ux. to Lizzie J. Gould, land on Princeton street, \$1.

Frank B. Sharrbourn's exor. to Elizabeth Harris, land and buildings at cor. Dover and Grove streets, \$1900.

**BILLERICA**

Mary P. Best to Arthur V. Howland, land and buildings on Riverside road, \$1.

John H. Weston to Hattie G. Johnson, land at Pinehurst annex, \$1.

Aaron Adelman to Andrew B. Cuneo, land at cor. Brown street and Birch road, \$1.

Oscar Larsen to August L. Larsen, land at cor. Arch and Crown streets, \$1.

Aaron Adelman to Frans Lundgren et al., land on Brown street, \$1.

James Beckett, land and buildings, \$1.

Therence Boucher to James Beckett, land and buildings on Groton road, \$1.

**WILMINGTON**

Frank W. Coughlin to Hector Brugnani, land on Forest and Wirt avenues and Forest street, \$1.

Walter L. Pratt to Lizzie Etta Hoyt, land and buildings on Temple and Lowell streets, \$1.

## LOWELL PYTHIANS

Were Entertained by the Lawrence Lodge

The members of Black Prince lodge, 26, K. of P. of Lawrence, recently entertained as guests of the evening, a large number of their brother knights, members of Samuel H. Hines lodge of Lowell, Thursday evening in Black Prince hall. Many games contested with good natured rivalry were played after which a delightful banquet at which about 100 were seated was served.

The party returned to the lodge rooms and spent the remainder of the evening in carrying out the list of contests which was scheduled. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed until a seasonable hour. The Lowellites, who went down in a "special" returned home about 12.15. Among those who made the trip were former Deputy Alvan E. Joy and several members of the uniform rank.

The list of contests and the winners were as follows: Whist and checkers, won by Lowell; bowling, won by Lowell; prize giving, won by Lowell; engraved; three-legged race, Lowell; shoe race, Lawrence; potato race, won by Lawrence.

**WILLIAM H. FORD**

HAS ENLARGED AND IMPROVED HIS RING FACTORY

There are thousands of people who never knew or dreamed that there was such a place as the Ford ring factory, but such is a fact. Mr. Ford has been for many years located on upper Merrimack street, and is an expert jeweler, having learned the business in all its branches. Of late years he has been giving a great deal of his time toward the developing of machinery for the making and perfecting of gold rings, and today he has one of the best equipped factories of its size this side of New York. Another thing that may astonish people is the great variety of styles and fashions that go with the ring business. It may surprise a great many to know that Mr. Ford has more than 3000 designs of rings which he makes to order for anyone who desires to purchase. A number of these settings are rings for diamonds or other precious stones, and are of a great variety of fine patterns and designs. Mr. Ford has everything in his factory, connected with an up-to-date manufacturing jewelry shop, though not near so large as Tiffany's of New York. Mr. Ford has perfected these machines so that he is today the sole owner of them, having them patented, and they are used in some of the leading cities of this country and Canada. Some idea may be had when it is known that in the construction and details of the machinery an expense of more than \$5000 is involved. Mr. Ford has already received orders for several of them. He takes in all the detailed requirements of ring making from the pure gold and silver, melting, casting, and every thing that is necessary to be used in the manufacture of rings. But this is not all that Mr. Ford does. He has one of the best appointed jewelry establishments in our city, filled with the choicest of gold and silver watches, silverware, cut glass and jewelry in all its various styles. It is thoroughly up-to-date as a manufacturing and retail jewelry establishment employing as he does several silver and goldsmiths who are always kept busy manufacturing for his wholesale trade as well as the retail. This is one of the best little factories in our city, and when we think that this is all the development of a few years due to constant and close attention to business Mr. Ford has won out and can claim to be the leading jeweler of the city. There are very few places in our city where one can bring his old jewelry and get it melted up and made into a pleasure to be able to speak of the success of any of our Lowell merchants when they have won out as Mr. Ford has in his novel, and we might say, exclusive industry. A visit through the factory is certainly

**Academy of Music**

Ma! Look at Him!

He's funny to look at. See him for a h's laugh.

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure  
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

**CASH AND JEWELRY**

Were Stolen from Connie Mack's Men

**PLEADED GUILTY**

MAN CHARGED WITH BREAKING AND ENTERING

SKOWHEGAN, Me., March 30.—August Dehullar was sentenced yesterday by Justice Savage to serve two years and three months in the state prison at Thomaston, after he had pleaded guilty to two indictments for breaking and entering the shoe shop and Marston worsted mills here in February.

John Walker of Hartland, charged with being a common seller of liquors, was acquitted by a jury.

John R. Clark was ordered to the insane hospital at Augusta to be examined as to his sanity.

Martin Munster of Somerset Junction was convicted for being an alleged common seller of liquors. He was sentenced to pay \$100 and costs and serve 30 days in jail.

Chester Hodgdon of East Madison was sentenced to pay \$50 and costs for alleged single sale.

**SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL**

The regular meeting of Wameet lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night. There was a good sized attendance and considerable business was transacted. The committee on the trip to Bay State lodge of Boston reported that progress was being made and that final arrangements should be known of the next meeting. The first rank will be worked on several candidates April 28.

The last party in the series of whists will be held next Friday evening.

**The Red Men**

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night, Sachem Edmund Whitney presiding. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted. George O. Spaulding was chosen trustee to fill the unexpired term of George E. Sutherland, who died recently, and the tribe stood in silence for a space of time in respect to his memory. A committee of three, composed of Past Sachems Charles J. Martin, Leonard F. Steele and Edmund Crompton, was appointed to draw up a set of resolutions on the death of P. S. George. E. Sutherland. The spread upon the records, and a copy sent to his widow. At the next meeting some of the great chiefs of the great council of Massachusetts will be present and the entertainment committee will provide corn and venison for the occasion and a sociability will be the theme of the hour.

**CARLISLE**

The death of Frances A. Duren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Duren of the town and the parents have the sympathy of the residents here. Her death was caused by receiving severe burns. Her parents were out of the house at the time and the child was playing with matches, and her clothing caught fire. She was terribly burned, but lived a few hours, when death ended her suffering. She was three years, five months and 15 days old. Three boys are left to the afflicted parents, Kenneth Warren, nearly seven; Allen, five, and Samuel Edwards, 10 months old.

Impressive funeral services were held in the home, Wednesday afternoon. Rev. F. H. Billington, Rev. Granville Pierce and Rev. H. H. Job participated. Two selections were sung by Miss Grace Chamberlain, Mrs. D. W. Robbins, Harold T. and D. L. Chamberlain.

The floral offerings were very beautiful and were, in part: Mound inscribed "At Rest" surrounded by a white dove from the parents; spray, Kenneth and Allen; spray, Mr. John Sterns; spray, Uncle and Aunt Isnor; spray, Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Haublin; Deaford; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Isnor; sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Ober, Burial was in Green cemetery, under the direction of T. A. Green, funeral director.

**ONE DOSE MAKES INDIGESTION GO**

Heartburn, Gas and Other Stomach Misery Ends

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or you feel bloated after eating, and you believe it is the food which fills you; if what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing after eating, eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, brash or burning of gas, you can make up your mind that you need something to stop food fermentation and cure indigestion.

To make every bite of food you eat add in the nourishment and strength of your body, you must rid your stomach of poisons, causing acids and stomach gas, which sour your entire mass, interfere with digestion and causes so many sufferers of Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Bilioussness, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your case is no different—you are a stomach sufferer, though you may call it by some other name, it is real and only trouble is that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

A case of Pape's Diapensin will cost fifty cents at any Pharmacy here, and will convince any stomach sufferer five minutes after taking a single dose that Fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of Indigestion.

No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that a certain cure is waiting at any drug store the moment you decide to begin its use.

Pape's Diapensin will regulate any out-of-order Stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any fuss or discomfort, all of any kind of food you eat.

**E. H. HAWLEY'S CO.**

**THE BANDIT**

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin E. Kelly, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1912. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

## THE STRIKE MOST ORDERLY

Lowell is to be congratulated upon the orderly character of the mill strike. Thus far there has been practically no disturbance of any kind beyond the little clash with the officers on Davidson street. This is creditable to the strikers and to the police. It is gratifying to know that there will probably be no unusual demand for activity by the local police. That is as it should be. The people who go on strike have a perfect right to remain idle as long as they please. On the other hand the manufacturers have an equal right to keep their mills closed as long as they please. Neither should interfere with the other, but there is an element of justice and right that enters into the computation and that should not be overlooked. The operatives are men and women; many of them have families dependent upon them and these should not be overlooked or forgotten. Where most of the operatives live from hand to mouth it is plain that a few weeks' idleness will reduce them to want unless they be aided from outside sources. It is hoped that none of the operatives in this strike will feel the pangs of hunger, that the mills will reopen by mutual agreement in time to prevent any suffering.

## OUR POLICE FORCE ON TRIAL

The police department of Lowell is on trial in this strike. It is expected to control the situation and enforce the law without resorting to extreme severity unless this is absolutely necessary. While enforcing the law the officers must be careful not to trespass upon the rights of citizens, that is, they must understand fully the extent of their authority and stop right there. The police, however, would be blamed if they permitted any demonstration of lawlessness to get beyond their control. Supt. Welch has his men well instructed, and they are ready for all emergencies. They will deal cautiously with all disturbers; but if it becomes necessary to use force they will use it only to the extent that each particular occasion demands. We do not anticipate any trouble that the local police cannot handle with ease, so that there will be no demand on neighboring cities for assistance and no call upon the militia. The strikers thus far have shown commendable respect for the law, and it is to be hoped for their own sake and for the reputation of our city they will continue this wise policy.

## THE THREATENED COAL STRIKE

We are likely to have a great coal strike on our hands by the time the British strike will have been declared off.

In a few days more the wage scale, both in the anthracite and bituminous mines, will expire, and unless a new scale, satisfactory to the miners, be adopted, then about 500,000 miners will quit work in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The operators want to continue the present scale for two years more.

Let us hope the strike, if it occurs, will not prove so disastrous as the British. There will be no minimum wage act to hasten a settlement here as was the case in England. Our constitution would not permit that. Should a strike be declared in both classes of mines the loss of pay will amount to \$1,000,000 a day. The increase gained, even if all demands be conceded, will never make up for the actual loss of wages in a strike of several weeks' duration.

## TO PREVENT STRIKES

At a banquet of 600 railroad officials in Pittsburgh the other night Chairman Prouty of the Interstate Commerce Commission spoke strongly in favor of arbitration as a preliminary step in labor disputes among railroad employees. He argued that an unjust increase in wages on railroads, caused an increase in rates and that the general public had eventually to pay freight rates that were exorbitant. The Erdman act he held to be a peace measure that had had good results but it was compulsory on no one. He favored a law making strikes illegal until after the issues had been submitted to arbitration by a fairly chosen body. This principle is quite similar to that of the Canadian law for the maintenance of industrial peace. It seems that the people of this country require a long time to talk about such things. Some peoples without half the discussion of the measures would make them law.

## AMEND THE SHERMAN LAW

The general opinion throughout the country is that the Sherman law is a flat failure. The introduction of the qualifying phrase, "unreasonable restraint of trade" by the supreme court of the United States, has knocked the bottom out of this law, and it should be amended at once. The Chicago packers tried under the criminal provision of the law were found to be in combination but not for unreasonable restraint of trade. This loophole provided by the highest tribunal in the land allowed the packers to go free. Thus is conviction made impossible and hence the criminal features of the law might as well be abandoned.

## THE FINANCIAL REPORT

The monthly report of the commissioner of finance, showing the receipts and payments of the general treasury fund, gives the citizens in general an opportunity to see what is being done with the city's money. This publication is provided for in the new charter, and as the pamphlet costs money it is to be hoped that it will be carefully read by the taxpayers. It shows that the amount of taxes due the city from 1899 to 1911 both included is \$741,753.33. The loans made in 1911 netted \$412,450. The receipts and expenditures for all the departments are given in detail and are of interest to everybody who follows municipal affairs.

## BUT ONE CANDIDATE

It looks now as if the democrats of this state would have but one candidate—Governor Foss—to vote for in the preferential primary. How can there be a preference with but a single candidate? Clark and Harmon have both declined to have their names on ballots in states where there is a local candidate. The republicans will have an opportunity to decide between



That Patrolman Dave Petrie is a sprinter and that he made great time from Merrimack square to Davidson street the other evening.

That Dr. Demopoulos has the Greek strikers well in hand and that he is respected by not only the strikers but by all the members of that nationality in the city.

That there was a remarkable change in the appearance of the corner of Market and Central streets yesterday—the brass buttons of the previous days being conspicuously by their absence.

That the C. Y. M. L. basketball team has established a great record this season.

That one week from today many of the amateur baseball teams will start the season if—

That Henry Carr expects many out-of-town people to attend his opening on Tuesday evening.

That the fellow who left off cigars during the Lenten season has many Taft and Roosevelt, and the decision, we predict, will be overwhelmingly anti-Roosevelt.

## THEY DEFEATED THEMSELVES

The London suffragettes got into prison and injured their cause into the bargain by their smashing outbreak of a few weeks ago. The bill to extend the franchise to women, carried in the British house of commons last year by a vote of 255 to 88, was defeated this year by a vote of 223 to 208. The opposition increased from 88 to 120 owing to the militant tactics of the women themselves in their efforts to compel the government to give them the right to vote.

The mills of New Bedford averted a general strike by granting 10 per cent. increase over the wages already paid. This was the amount asked for by the operatives, and as might be expected the announcement was hailed with delight. There are 67 fine cotton mills in New Bedford and the fact that there will be no strike is fortunate news for the people.

Senator Lorimer has been vindicated again by a committee of the senate. It is not likely that the charges against him will be pushed any further. There was a whole lot of smoke but after long and faithful investigation the senate committee reports that there was no fire.

The bill to construct a new state penitentiary on a 1000 acre lot on a site to be chosen by the governor and council is one that should pass. The present location of the state prison in Charlestown is not what it should be, and a change to the open will be a great benefit to the inmates.

The Massachusetts legislature is not yet ready to favor biennial elections despite the fact that the custom is common.

## SEEN AND HEARD

There will be a special meeting of the Lowell Teachers' organization in high school hall on Tuesday at 4.15 p. m. to be addressed by Mr. Walter I. Hamilton of the "Thomas Donaghy" school of New Bedford.

Richard Harding Davis, who knows South America intimately, told at a luncheon at the Philadelphia club, a South American story.

"The Florida in Buenos Ayres," he said, "is very elegant and charming, but in the past the young men were too prone to attract the beautiful women shopping and promenading there."

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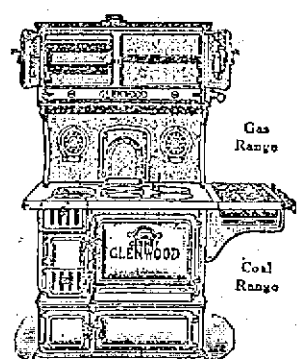
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## A Smooth Range

It takes great skill and the very best material to make a plain smooth range—but Oh! how clean and wholesome it looks in the kitchen, so appropriate and business like.



Glenwood Combination Gas, Wood and Gas Range.

It matters not whether your kitchen is large or small—there's a Plain Glenwood made to fit it. Prices to suit all purses.

Cabinet Glenwood Range

M. F. Gookin Co., Lowell

said solemnly, "the Florida has become quite smart, but when a beautiful woman walks in it, the young men hover near her, murmuring in low and ardent tones: 'I wish I had \$50.'"

Probably no one man has done or is doing so much for the potato industry of the country as Prof. C. L. Fitch, who is the potato scientist of the Colorado Agricultural college. He made an exhaustive study into the origin of American varieties of potatoes as a foundation which would help him in the work he had in hand of improving Colorado varieties. His findings, which of necessity are in a large measure of a general character, are helpful, not only to potato growers in Colorado, but other sections of the country as well. Among a number of interesting facts which Prof. Fitch has demonstrated perhaps the most important is that a fungus growth called rice is responsible chiefly for the tendency in potatoes to "run out." The spores of this pest live on the mature potato in its place of storage during the winter and are visible as brown spots or spots on the surface, but do not usually injure the interior texture or quality of the tuber. These germs or spores are planted with the pieces of seed in the spring and shortly spread by fine thread and netlike growth to the new and tender shoots that grow from the seed piece. As a result these are either killed outright or greatly or slightly weakened, and on those stalks that do live through the season only runy tubers are produced of a low vitality. Mr. Fitch asserts that most alfalfa have been grown for a number of years is likely to be more or less infected with this rice; hence, treating the seed with the formalin solution does little good. In his opinion, the selection of clean seed and having the soil well drained and giving the growing crop deep and thorough cultivation are the best methods of reducing damage from rice to a minimum. The addition of fresh manure is not advisable on land which is to be used for growing potatoes. Soil which contains a good deal of sand is best for rice, and it is for this reason that it is so well suited to growing them. Relative to the selection of potatoes for seed, Professor Fitch recommends those that are comparatively short and flat for the variety, and pointed or oval, shallow eyed and without prominent brown spots or spots on the surface, and of a red or pink variety, light in color for the variety.

THE SEA

The sea! the sea! the open sea! The blue, the fresh, the ever free! Without a mark, without a bound, It runs the earth's wide regions round.

It plays with the clouds; it mocks the skies; Or like a cradled creature lies.

I'm on the sea! I'm on the sea! I am where I would ever be; With the blue above, and the blue below.

And silence, whosoever I go; If a storm should come and awake the deep.

What matter? I shall ride and sleep.

I love, oh how I love to ride On the fierce, foaming, bursting tide, When your mad waves dashing thru me.

Or whistles aloft his tempest tune, And tells how gouth the world below, And why the southwest blasts do blow.

I never was on the dull, tame shore But I loved the great sea more and more.

And backward flew to her billowy breast Like a bird that seeketh its mother's nest;

And another she was, and is, to me, For I was born on the open sea!

The waves were white, and red the morn, In the noisy hour when I was born; And the while it whistled, and the porpoise railed.

And the dolphins bared their backs of gold; And never was heard such an outcry wild.

As welcomed to life the ocean child.

I've lived since then, in calm and strife, Full fifty summers, a sailor's life, With wealth to spend, and power to range.

But never sought nor sighed for change; And death, whenever he comes to me, Shall come on the wild, unbounded sea!

—Barry Cornwall.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Providence Journal: Mr. Roosevelt will make his third campaign invasion

of New England on the fifth of next month, at which date he is scheduled for addresses at Manchester, Concord and Nashua, New Hampshire. As Mr. Taft spoke in these three places a few days ago it looks as if the colonel had adopted a definite policy of camping on the president's trail.

THE GOVERNOR'S CHANCES

New Bedford Times: Those who are inclined to regard the presidential aspirations of Governor Foss as wildly extravagant should remember that politics is a game of many surprises and that the "talent" frequently goes wrong.

At this distance from the Baltimore convention one man's chances seem to be about as good as another's. It may be conceded that Governor Wilson has advanced his candidacy farther than any other of the many possibilities, but to say that the fight is over is altogether unwarranted.

Should a deadlock arise in the convention, and such an event is by no means unlikely, Gov. Foss must be regarded as standing an excellent chance of getting the nomination. A governor who has shown himself strong enough to be twice a substantial republican following which Gov. Foss enjoys, is not to be reckoned as being without the pale of strong possibilities.

UNIFORM CHILD LABOR LAWS

Courier-Citizen: It would be a good thing for the industries of the country if the laws regulating child labor were uniform in all the states. Such aren't now, and the fact is a cause of much hardship to children and a needless complication in our industrial life. The laws in the north are generally more humane than those in the south and the former should be the standard for all. A movement to secure this form is underway. Such a law, with much encouragement, in spite of the difficulties which must be encountered. The number of hours which children may work should be regulated and made reasonable, and be the same everywhere.

THE ALLEGED TURKISH VICTORY

Worcester Post: Possibly true, but not to be accepted until further confirmation comes. As yesterday's report of the great Turkish victory over the Italian invaders of Tripoli. The tale comes from Turkish quarters by way of London, which as a news center has from the outset been strongly hostile to Italy and has sent out many false or grossly exaggerated stories, notably in regard to the massacres in the early stages of the war. The battle reported is likely to prove a trifling affair, like most of those of the campaign in Tripoli, and the small number of casualties reported by the Turkish forces may perhaps give some notion of the scale of the engagement. But if true, the disaster will be only a repetition of what occurred in earlier colonial adventures of Italy. And it is at best a baffling job she has ahead of her in this case.

POTASH PROTECTION

Lynn Item: The president has sent a message to congress urging the immediate enactment of a law to protect the potash fields recently discovered in California from private exploitation. Potash is an element of the greatest value in the preparation of fertilizers. The United States has now to depend on Germany for the supply of potash needed in the agricultural operations in the reclaimed lands of the West and Southwest. There was an attempt on the part of Germany to practically prohibit the export of the product of the German potash deposits. This induced scientific experts to go out and hunt for potash in our own territory. They were successful. The protection of the beds already discovered and those that may be discovered hereafter the president believes will insure to the great benefit of the agricultural industry of the United States and may reduce the necessity of continuing the present importation. To free ourselves from the power of Germany of potash will of itself be an achievement of no small moment.

CHORAL SOCIETY

HELD GRAND REHEARSAL OF THE "GOLDEN LEGEND"

There was a full attendance at the rehearsal of the Choral society on Thursday evening and the work on the "Golden Legend" showed up in splendid shape. The tickets for the coming concert and an excellent number of members of the society and there is already a large sale reported. As the Y. M. C. A. is vacating the building on Hurd street, the remaining rehearsals previous to the concert will be held in the vestry of the First Universalist church on Hurd street, near the Y. M. C. A. building, next week on Wednesday, and on Thursday of the week following.

It is only two weeks to the concert by the Lowell Choral society when Longfellow's beautiful story, "The Golden Legend," set to music by Sir Arthur Sullivan, will be given. Already the demand for tickets is becoming acute and it looks as if the seats of the society and hall would again be taxed to its utmost. Longfellow says of his work: "I have called this poem 'The Golden Legend' because the story upon which it is founded seems to me to surpass all other legends in beauty and significance. It exhibits, amid the corruptions of the middle ages, the virtue of disinterestedness and self-sacrifice and the power of faith, hope, and charity, sufficient for all the exigencies of life and death."

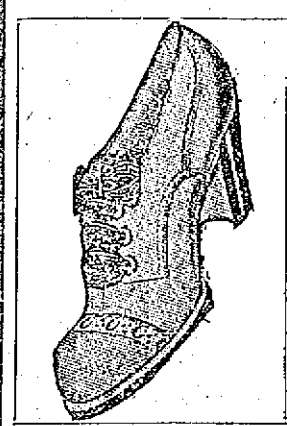
To interpret the music in which Sir Arthur Sullivan has clothed this poem the society has spared no pains, either in the quality of the soloists engaged or in the work of the chorus at its weekly rehearsals.

Mrs. Grace Bonner Williams, who is to sing the part of Edie, is acknowledged to be the leading soprano on the concert stage today. She has sung in the big music festivals of the middle west, the south, in Pennsylvania, Albany, N. Y., Worcester and Springfield, and the other festivals held in New England. The critics of the leading newspapers and the great public concede to her the distinction of being without a peer in concert work. Mrs. Williams' success is due to three requisites, which she has in abundance, indispensable to the artist, namely, a beautiful voice, fine stage presence, and personality. She is sure to establish herself in the hearts of Lowell citizens as she has done in all cities where she has sung, and it is a foregone conclusion that she will be required to come back to Lowell many times in the future.

Rebald Werpenrath, the baritone, is spoken of in terms of warmest praise by his critics, and a brilliant performance of the part of Lucifer may be looked for. The New York Sun says of him: "Mr. Werpenrath has acquired a high order of skill in tone production. His phrasing is refined and his cantillation is good. He has won praise before now, and his singing last night disclosed again all the fine traits heard

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In previous recitals, Charles Hackett, the tenor, who assumes the part of Prince Henry, comes of a musical family. He has met with such unprecedented success the past season and has qualifications so unusual, that his rapidly growing popularity causes no surprise among those who are acquainted with his work. Miss Edith Prescott, contralto, comes recommended very highly by some of the best judges of singing in Boston. Her voice is said to be of that fast disappearing quality, the true, deep contralto. The range of her voice is such that she can sing the heavy contralto parts as well as the mezzo roles. Miss Prescott is also fortunate in the fact that she has a fine stage presence and personal magnetism. Although her role in "The Golden Legend," that of the mother, is not a long one she has two very effective solos to sing.

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# SYSTEM ABOLISHED

## Water Department Will Bear the Expense of Meter Cleaning

Believing that the system of compelling water takers to pay for the cleaning of water meters used by them is an over-taxation and an injustice, Commissioner Barrett, who has charge of the water department, has decided to abolish the system and after April 1 the users of city water will be relieved of that expense.

"I intend to abolish the system because I think it works an injustice to the water user," said Commissioner Barrett. "He is not responsible," continued the commissioner, "for the condition of the meter. The dirt that attaches to the meter comes with the water and it is only right and fair that the expense of cleaning the meters should be borne by the water department. If a meter is broken or damaged the user will have to repair it. But a man may have a meter in his cellar and it may become clogged through no fault of his, and there is no good reason why he should have to stand the expense of cleaning it. The amount received by the city for meter cleaning is about \$2000 a year."

### Fire Department Fines

It was stated in The Sun some time ago that Commissioner Barrett had abolished the system of fines in the fire department and the money that went formerly to the different firehouses in which it was collected was diverted to another channel that flows into the city treasury. The amount of fines for the month of February was \$101.50 and that sum has been carefully ticked away in the city treasurer's office. The amount represents the fines collected at the different houses from firemen who failed to properly respond to alarms.

# THREATENED WOMAN

## That Is the Charge Against Clemento Klutchnik

Clemento Klutchnik was arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on complaints charging him with intimidating Annie Januska on Thursday and assault and battery on the same person yesterday. It was another of those cases in connection with the strike but owing to

the fact that the defendant had no witnesses present the cases were continued until Monday.

The woman is employed in the Bigelow Carpet Co. and according to her testimony, she was on her way to work shortly after six o'clock Thursday

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# THE WOOL TARIFF BILL

## Must be Considered Without Delay, Says Underwood

WASHINGTON, March 30.—When the wool tariff revision bill was called up in the house today, Majority Leader Underwood reiterated that the measure must be considered without unnecessary delay. The plan for bringing the bill to a vote on Monday was still the majority program and it included also speeches today for and against the bill. Minority Leader Mann and Rep.

Payne of New York, ranking republican members of the ways and means committee, continued to denounce the democratic majority for what the republicans characterized as unjust curtailment of time required for an intelligent discussion of the bill. All factions conceded that Mr. Underwood was in control of the situation and that opposition would not be successful.

### REPORT OF DEATHS

With Causes Assigned for Past Week.

Report of deaths for the week ending March 27, 1912:

- 22—George F. Richardson, 52, endocarditis.
- Sarah Keefe, 73, pneumonia.
- Bridget Fitzgerald, 48, cancer.
- 23—Maria Emory, 75, art. scier.
- Elizabeth C. McKay, 70, ch. nephritis.
- Florence R. Baker, 50, locomotor ataxia.
- Elizabeth Scott, 22, phthisis.
- Margaret Howarth, 19, phthisis.
- Wladislaw Duhel, 3, measles.
- Rose Larson, 2 days, cong. debility.
- Mary S. Noble, 51, emphysema.
- 24—Angelina Van, 51, cancer.
- Della Giergas, 38, pulm. tuber.
- Margaret F. Sullivan, 57, osteo myelitis.
- Raymond D. Pease, 1, bro. pneumonia.
- 25—Harriet E. Parsons, 88, old age.
- Francis Bacon, 76, pneumonia.
- Sarah Broad, 51, disease of liver.
- Daniel W. Cogger, 48, heart disease.
- Ella Harnden, 44, epithelioma.
- George E. Sutherland, 35, tuberculosis.
- William Sullivan, 17, tuberculosis.
- Margaret H. O'Hare, 3 mos., bronchitis.
- Julia Hallwich, 7 mos., tub. meningitis.
- 26—William Mahoney, 65, bronchitis.
- John E. McDonald, 55, duodenal ulcer.
- Bridget Boake, 51, endocarditis.
- Alice Chateaufort, 19, pulm. tuber.
- Edward M. Garlity, 2, scarlet fever.
- 27—Julius Martel, 69, ch. nephritis.
- David R. Gerow, 2 mos., cong. debility.
- Joseph D. G. Beauchesne, 7 days, leucemia.
- Carrie A. Ryder, 54, disease of heart.
- Eva E. Snaveley, 27, pulm. embolism.
- Margaret A. Fitzpatrick, 52, diabetes.
- Herbert E. Richardson, 54, heart disease.
- 28—Mary McCarron, 73, art. scier.
- Thomas Casey, 12, endocarditis.
- George A. Bellefeuille, 3, entero colitis.
- Adolf Pasterezyk, 11 mos., ac. bronchitis.
- Mary A. Urbanowicz, 6 mos., bronchitis.
- Alonso Colburn, 52, cancer.
- Agnes Whalen, 2 days, convulsions.
- 29—Archie Casanopoulos, 3 mos., pneumonia.
- 30—Evanthia Megas, 6 days, gastro enteritis.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

TO DISSOLVE STEAMSHIP CO.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Suits for the dissolution of certain steamship companies engaged in traffic between New York and the Far East by way of the Suez canal was filed by the United States government in the federal court here shortly after 2 o'clock. The companies are charged with pooling freight rates and rebating to certain shipping exclusively by their lines.

PHOTOGRAPHS OF DICTOGRAPH IN USE THAT WILL BE INTRODUCED IN EVIDENCE AT DARROW TRIAL



## COTTON MILLS STRIKE

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### THE GREEK OPERATIVES

ADDRESSED BY DR. DEMOPOULOS

Dr. Demopoulos was seen by a reporter of The Sun today and he was asked if any statement was made to him by William D. Haywood relative to the fear of the Greeks not staying with the strikers and he said: "Well, I am surprised to hear of anything like that. Don't they have the Greeks with them? Don't I attend all the meetings and tell the Greeks all that is going on there? I sent a Greek delegate on every committee that went to the mills with the demands, but I have told them not to join the I. W. W. or other organizations, not because I, or they are opposed to them personally, but because I want them to stay by themselves and be peaceful."

When he was asked if any of the Greeks were members of the I. W. W. he said, "I don't know of any."

The Greek leader also told the writer that a woman called at his office this

stantinople, travelled extensively through Greece, and spent the Greek Easter at Athens. I made an intensive study of the economic and industrial situation in Lowell for Harvard university, and this was published yesterday by The Macmillan Co. of New York under the title of "The Record of a City: A Social Survey of Lowell," which I hope will prove helpful at this time.

With all good wishes, I am, Yours sincerely,

George F. Kennegott.

After reading the letter his people voted to authorize the doctor to extend their sincere thanks to Mr. Kennegott for his letter. The speaker then read articles from the two local papers relative to the manner in which they are conducting their part of the strike. He said that from this letter of Mr. Kennegott and the articles in the papers they could see that their part in the strike is being admired by all the people. "Now," he said, "the reputation you have made in the strike resembles a palace, and do not do anything that will cause the destruction

the conclusion Dr. Demopoulos was given a rousing cheer.

## THE STRIKE COMMITTEE

MET THIS MORNING

There was a meeting of the general strike committee at the I. W. W. hall at 8 o'clock this morning. The session was rather brief. The next meeting of the committee will be held in the new hall at the corner of Market and Hanover streets at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon where it is said that many out of town speakers will be heard. It is also reported that important business will be discussed.

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Saturday, April 6th, is Quarter Day at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

## BOARD OF TRADE

Addresses Communication to Boston Papers

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade it was voted to send a communication to the editors and publishers of the different Boston newspapers relative to the publication of news about the strike situation in this city.

The letter which is self-explanatory, reads as follows:

Lowell, Mass., March 27, 1912.

Dear Sir: I have been directed by vote of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade to request your assistance in connection with the industrial situation at Lowell.

While we do not wish to have your paper conceal any facts, it is supposed that an re-writing matter by telephone many statements are made which arise from a misunderstanding of conditions.

The board is not desirous of dictating the way you shall handle this matter, but we respectfully ask in fairness to our city that only facts be published, and that an attempt to magnify circumstances be avoided, as this would undoubtedly be a means of stirring up an already difficult situation.

Lowell is composed of thrifty law-abiding inhabitants and our city enjoys an enviable reputation as an ideal industrial center, and we entertain the brightest hopes of an amiable and quick adjustment of our present pending trouble.

Respectfully yours,  
Lowell Board of Trade.  
John H. Murphy, Secy.

Secretary Murphy has received very courteous replies from the different papers.

## MAN KILLED

WHILE WALKING TO 'FRISCO ON WAGER

BUFFALO, March 30.—C. S. Stone of Boston, walking from that city to Frisco was killed by a trolley car on the tracks of the Buffalo & Lake Erie Traction Co., 20 miles west of here early today. In Stone's pockets were found papers indicating that he was making the trip on a wager.

## PALM SUNDAY

WILL BE OBSERVED IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES TOMORROW

Tomorrow will be Palm Sunday and the occasion as usual will be observed in a fitting manner in all the Catholic churches of the city. The palms will be blessed previous to high mass and will be distributed to the congregation, after which a procession of the clergy and sanctuary choir boys will be held around the church.

Next week will be Holy Week and accordingly services will be held in the Catholic churches on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings and evenings.

# CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES

## Were Received by the Municipal Council Today

The municipal council at a meeting held this forenoon voted to extend its sympathy to City Clerk Stephen Flynn in his recent bereavement and severe loss sustained by the death of his wife, which occurred yesterday.

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 o'clock and, in the absence of City Clerk Flynn, Assistant City Clerk Wm. P. McCarthy was elected temporary clerk.

The mayor read two communications from Bennett Silverblatt, attorney for Esrel Greenberg. One was a claim for damages to property stored in Lincoln street, the damage being caused, it was alleged, by the leaking of a sewer or water pipe. The matter was referred to the commissioner of public safety, the mayor. The other was a petition

for the erection of a retaining wall in Lincoln street and it was referred to commissioner of public streets and highways.

Relative to traffic rules recently formulated by the board of trade and on which a hearing was given by the municipal council last Thursday night, Mayor O'Donnell suggested that it would be well for the commissioner on streets to confer with persons opposed to some of the regulations with the purpose of arriving at an amicable adjustment of the matter; the commissioner to report back to the full board.

Commissioner Donnelly called attention to the fact that the bond of the city treasurer would expire April 1 and

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## MAN MURDERED

### Shot to Death in Miners' Quarrel

WASHINGTON, Pa., March 30.—In the darkness of the Armida coal mine, more than a mile under ground, Philip Patrick, an Italian miner, is alleged to have been shot and killed yesterday, Louis Bartolino, with whom he boarded.

According to miners who saw the shooting, the men quarreled, and Bartolino finally returned to his work. As he stooped over, Patrick is alleged to have drawn his revolver and fired three shots into his back. He then jumped on a passing motor, and waving the revolver to the side of the operator, ordered him to drive with all speed to the mouth of the mine. There he drove the driver back into the mine, and making his way to his boarding house, changed his clothes and disappeared.

In half an hour one of the frightened miners notified the officers of the coal company, who organized a pursuing party, and followed Patrick toward McDonald, Pa.

## FUNERALS

McGEEVER.—The funeral of Miss Rose Hillary McGeever took place this morning at 9:30 from the home of her parents, Daniel and Isabella McGeever, 250 Grand street, at the immaculate Conception church, high mass of requiem was sung at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. McQuaid. O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Charles P. Smith, sang the Gregorian chant. Mrs. Hugh Walker was the organist. At 11 o'clock the body was taken to the cemetery. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid. Funeral Director John F. Rogers was in charge.

The floral tributes included: Large pillow inscribed "Our Darling" from the family; spray of pink, the shaving room of the American Hide & Leather company; spray of roses, Midnight catpans; spray of pinks, Herbert J. Harrington, J. Bennett McMahon, James W. Brady; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corcoran; spray of pinks, Daniel Hennessy; spray of pinks with ribbon inscribed "Eve"; Mr. and Mrs. Carolyn and family; spray of pinks, Mae and Melville Hamilton; large wreath of roses, Mr. and Mrs. J. Molloy of Woburn; spray of sweet peas, Mrs. Patrick Foley and family of Stoneham.

SNAVELEY.—The remains of Mrs. Eva E. Snaveley were consigned to their final resting place today. The funeral cortege left the home, No. 72 Twelfth street, at 8:30 and proceeded to St. Michael's church, where a high mass of

## GRANITE WORKERS

### At Milford, N. H., May Strike Monday

MILFORD, March 30.—A strike of 300 granite workers here is expected Monday as the result of the manufacturers' refusal to grant a slight increase in wages and additional helpers. The men also ask for additional pay for overtime and a 54 instead of a 65 hour week.

Business men here look for an early settlement of the difficulties.

## SUPT. DUFFEE ELECTED

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 30.—Edward D. Duffee, superintendent of schools of Fall River, was elected president of the Brown University Teachers' association at the closing session of the annual meeting this afternoon. Other officers elected were:

Vice-president, A. K. Potter, associate professor of English, Brown; secretary, Walter B. Jacobs; professor of education, Brown; treasurer, Clarence Hartwell, Manchester Technical High school.

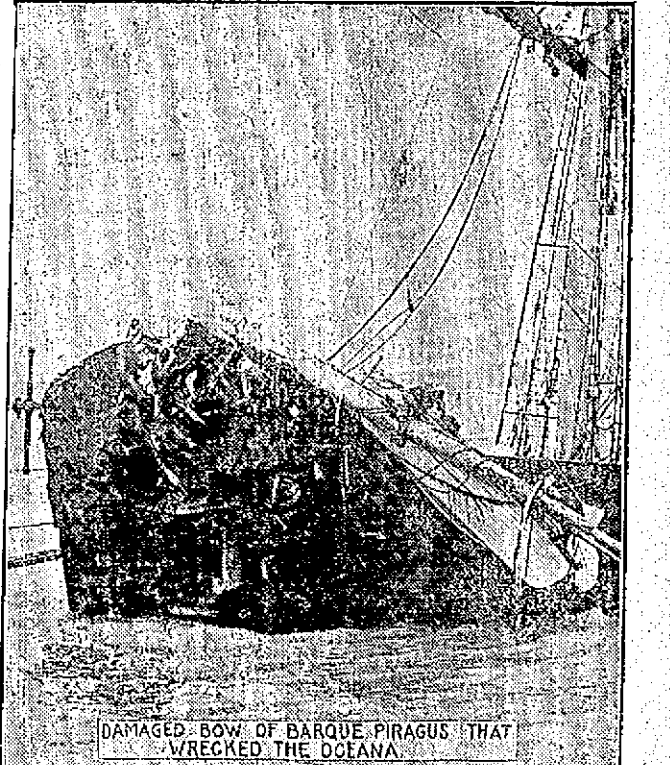
## EIGHT HOUR DAY

PARIS, March 30.—The chamber of deputies today passed a bill providing for an eight hour day for coal miners. It is believed that this action will remove the possibility of a general strike in the coal mines.

## A SLIGHT BLAZE

An alarm from box 241 about 3:30 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a brush fire near the railroad track in Boylston street. The blaze was extinguished before any material damage had been done.

## RECOVERY OF \$5,000,000 IN GOLD SUNK IN OCEANA WILL BE DIFFICULT



DAMAGED BOW OF BARQUE PIRAGUS THAT WRECKED THE OCEANA

LONDON, March 30.—It is realized that it will be difficult to recover the \$5,000,000 in gold that went down with the Oceana when that P. and O. liner sank in the English channel after collision with the German bark Piragus, though efforts will be made to get the gold. The money was in transit to China as the first portion of the loan arranged by foreign bankers for the new Chinese republic. Ten lives were lost in the accident, four of them being passengers on the Oceana and others being members of her crew. The Piragus struck the Oceana on the head on and practically tore the side out of the steamer.



# ADVANCE IN WAGES

## Many Mills Follow New Bedford in 10 Per Cent. Advance

FISHERVILLE, March 30.—The cotton mills of the Blackstone valley are advancing wages still further, in accordance with a policy to pay as much as their competitors. The Fisher Mfg. Co. announces that beginning last Monday wages were advanced ten per cent. The old notices announcing an increase of five per cent. have been removed. Wage advances have also been made by the mills at Blackstone, North Uxbridge, Saundersville, Linwood, Whitinsville, Farmington, Rockdale and Manchester.

### 10 PER CENT. AT NO. ADAMS

NORTH ADAMS, March 30.—The Hoosac cotton mills announces a second advance of five per cent. for its 1000 employees, the increase to go into immediate effect. The employees struck two weeks ago when the first advance was given and demanded 15 per cent. The strikers returned a week later.

### TO GIVE 10 PER CENT.

ADAMS, March 30.—The cotton manufacturers of Berkshire county, employing 5000 operatives, have decided to meet the New Bedford advance in wages of 10 per cent. The Berkshire Mfg. Co., with 2100 employees and other concerns announce a further increase immediately.

### SMALL STRIKE AT ROCKLAND

ROCKLAND, March 30.—The plant of the Rockland Webbing Co. here was closed today and 75 operatives were made idle by a strike of 19 weavers, one of whom is a woman. The weavers objected to carrying warps from a store room to their looms. They work by the piece and they claimed that by carrying the warps they lost time that ought to be given to their piece work. A committee laid their grievance before George Woodward, president of the company, but failing a satisfactory answer the weavers walked out.

# ATTEMPTED BRIBERY

## Sheriff Held in \$10,000 Bonds on That Charge

KENNEBUNK, Me., March 30.—On a charge of attempting to bribe County Attorney Asa Richardson to protect liquor sellers, Sheriff Charles Emery of York was held for the May term of the grand jury in bonds of \$10,000 after a hearing before Trial Justice Bourne here today. Sheriff Emery furnished bail.

Attorney General William Pattangal, who was in the court room, said after the hearing that the legislature on Wednesday next would begin an investigation into the charges against Sheriff Emery. He said that Gov. Plaisted in a message would indicate to the legislature the desired scope of the investigation.

So great was the interest in the case that business in town was suspended while the hearing was in progress. Every store in the village was closed. Nearly 1000 people crowded into the town hall, where the hearing was held. The proceedings lasted two hours.

Judge Cleaves of Biddeford, counsel for the Christian Civic league of Maine, at the request of the county attorney, represented the state. In his opening address, which occupied an hour, he reviewed conditions surrounding alleged illegal liquor selling in York county and related the circumstances leading to the arrest of the sheriff.

County Attorney Richardson, who appeared as the principal witness for the state, told of conferences with Sheriff Emery at Mr. Richardson's home and office. At these conferences he said Sheriff Emery promised to pay him \$500 a week if he would refrain from prosecuting liquor dealers in the principal cities and towns of the county. He alleged that Sheriff Emery paid him five \$20 bills as the first instalment after he had pretended to enter into the agreement.

Three witnesses were called to corroborate County Attorney Richardson's testimony. They were Edward H. Emery, secretary of the Christian Civic league of Maine; Deputy Sheriff E. I. Littlefield and Elmer Roberts. All three testified that when the conferences between the sheriff and the county attorney were held at the latter's home they were in the cellar and plainly heard the conversation through a furnace pipe connecting with an open register in the room where the two men were talking.

The defense offered no evidence and no closing arguments were made. Judge Ramae found probable cause and held Sheriff Emery for the grand jury.

## Grace Bonner WILLIAMS

It is acknowledged to be the leading singing on the concert stage today. She will be heard at the coming festival concert by the

## Choral Society

ASSOCIATE HALL

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1912

Helen Wernham, Baritone, Miss Edith Drexler, Contralto, Charles Hackett, Tenor.

The Choral Society—120 voices, will also assist in the performance of St. Arthur Sullivan's dramatic cantata.

The Golden Legend

Tickets, \$1.00, 75c and 50c

For sale by members of the society

McMANNON'S DISPLAY  
A cordial invitation is extended to the public by J. J. McMannon, the florist of Prescott street, to visit his greenhouses on the Lawrence road, tomorrow, when he will hold his annual exhibition of bulbous plants, cut flowers and Easter lilies. This show is an annual affair at McMannon's conservatories, and the number of visitors grows larger and larger each succeeding year. Mr. McMannon, and a corps of floral artists, who are ever willing to give information about the plants and flowers, in these greenhouses, will be present. There is no admission charged and everybody is invited to attend. Take the Lawrence car and it will bring you to the entrance of the greenhouses.

Mr. Edward P. McSwaney, of Boston, commissioner of investigation, will lecture on corruption, before the members of Lowell Council No. 72, Knights of Columbus, at Associate hall at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

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# TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Amal Gold	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Silver	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Zinc	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Lead	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Tin	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Iron	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Steel	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Coal	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Oil	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Gas	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Water	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Electric	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Telephone	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amal Railroad	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
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STOCK MARKET  
WAS HIGHER AT THE CLOSE  
THIS NOON

Reading, White & Gain of Five Points  
—U. S. Steel and Union Pacific Sold  
Under Yesterday's Close—Other Features of the Day's Trading

NEW YORK, March 30.—Heaviness was shown in the opening dealings on the stock exchange today, losses far exceeding gains. The Harbinger stocks, States Steel and some of the specialties were fractionally lower. On the other hand slight gains were shown by the Hill issues, Atchafalaya, American Smelting and Anaconda. Dealings were comparatively light.

The market continued inactive during the first hour with practically no material price changes. At the active issues Reading was the only one to show more than a degree of underlying strength. Allis Chalmers issues were strong and active. The new securities of the company which are traded in on the curb advanced smartly. Sloss Sheffield Steel fell 2 1/2.

The market closed irregular. Reading advanced to 163 1/2, a gain of five points on the week was the one abiding feature of the final hour. The balance of the list tended slightly upward after the movement in Reading, but failed to hold. U. S. Steel and Union Pacific selling under yesterday's close.

Money Market  
NEW YORK, March 30.—Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2. Sterling exchange 4 1/2. Change on London 4 1/2. Commercial bills 4 1/2. Bar silver 58. Mexican dollars 47. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm. Money on call nominal. Time loans 60 days 3 1/2, 90 days 3 1/2, six months 4 1/2.

Closing House Statement  
NEW YORK, March 30.—The statement of clearing house banks of Greater New York for the week shows that the banks held \$5,030,100 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule. This is a decrease of \$3,311,809 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

Exchanges and Balances  
BOSTON, March 30.—Exchanges, \$41,497,609; balances, \$2,154,233. For the week ending March 30, 1912: Exchanges, \$192,954,275; balances, \$10,335,302. Corresponding week of March, 30, 1911: Exchanges, \$169,755,788; balances, \$10,544,835.

Boston Market  
BOSTON, March 30.—Coppers this morning were weak until the last hour when there was a decided rally and the close was at the highest. Lake Royal 29 1/2, up 1/2; Lake 4 1/2, up 1/2.

# MAY NOT STRIKE

## It Is Thought That Miners' Dispute Will be Settled

CLEVELAND, O., March 30.—Although a suspension of work has been definitely called in the anthracite mines to take effect Saturday midnight, measures were under way by the United Mine Workers of America today to improve the situation caused by wage disputes.

President White of the union expected to arrange a date for the meeting between the opposing sides today. At the same time bituminous miners and operators hoped to complete an agreement whereby the miners would accept a slight increase in pay instead of their original demands. A subcommittee to which had been referred an offer of a compromise by the miners was ready to report that it had accepted the proposal. The operators said they were confident of its acceptance by the full conference which has been in session here for ten days. But the terms still have to be presented before the union's policy committee and by it submitted to a referendum vote of the union. Meantime a suspension, beginning Monday, of both the anthracite and bituminous mines, was said to be unavoidable.

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the safest, surest, most economical and most convenient. Beecham's Pills are especially beneficial to the whole system at this time of the year.

They purify the blood, tone the nerves, stimulate the liver and other organs of elimination. They drive away the "blues" and that lazy feeling, bring color to the faded cheek, create a good appetite and insure refreshing sleep. For over half a century Beecham's Pills have been the standard all the year round family medicine. Men, women and children all over the world are using them every day. Their fame and universal popularity have been gained solely by sheer merit.

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Do you suffer from Rheumatism or Lauxness, Swollen or Stiff Joints or Muscles? If so we can cure you. Kidney and Bladder, also Liver troubles respond quickly to his method. Neuralgia, Headaches, Dizziness, Blindness, Deafness and all troubles of Eye and Ear are successfully treated. Spinal trouble, Curvatures, etc., positively cured. We treat all Nerve troubles and give immediate relief. Do you suffer with your Feet? Fallen Arches? Do you walk lame? Do you wear arch supporters? See Prof. Wilkins for relief and cure.

We make a specialty of Children's Diseases, Infantile Paralysis and its effects. We take away crutches and braces and restore the use of arm and limb. Are you in any way embarrassed with your physical condition? If so you should see Prof. Wilkins for relief.

Remember, Prof. Wilkins removes Tumors and Bunches without the use of knife or any application.

Men, women and children come from far and near to consult with this man.

Consultation is free. Terms reasonable.

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Treatments given at your home by appointment. Address, Prof. B. G. Wilkins, Rooms 19-20, Bon Marche building, Lowell.

# CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES

Continued

he said was due to a bad place in the street. The matter was referred to the commissioner on public safety.

The council will take a view next Monday afternoon of streets named in sewer petitions and the next meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

# THREATENED WOMAN

Continued

morning and when passing the corner of Central and Market streets she was accosted by the defendant, who followed behind her and said: "This is the last time you will go to work." She also testified that he said, "If you go to work I will kill you."

Another woman, who was with the complainant, corroborated the testimony.

The defendant testifying in his own behalf, said that on Thursday morning he approached the woman and said: "Don't go to work because there is a strike," but he denied threatening to kill the complainant.

It is alleged that on Friday morning when the woman was leaving her home in Spring street the defendant hurled a stone at her, which struck her in the back.

Assault in Merrimack Mills  
Edward F. Connors was charged with assault and battery on John J. Granfield on March 24. Through his counsel John W. McEvoy, he entered a plea of not guilty, but the court found him guilty and imposed a fine of \$25.

Both men were employed in the Merrimack mills, the defendant as an oiler and the complainant in the finishing room. The complainant testified that shortly before one o'clock a week ago Thursday he was passing through the hallway in one of the mills of the Merrimack Mfg. Co. where he saw the defendant and a young woman. Witness said that Connors called him a vile name and then struck him about the body and administered a blow on the side of his nose which smashed his glasses and inflicted a cut which necessitated the taking of eleven stitches.

Albina Dube, the young woman in the case, testified that she was standing in the hallway looking through a window when the defendant approached her and embraced her. At this point Granfield came out of one of the rooms and she screamed. Connors used profane language she said, and then assaulted the complainant.

Lawrence Hart, a boy, testified to seeing the assault.

Edward F. Connors, the defendant, testified that he was an oiler in the mill and was going up a flight of stairs when the complainant obstructed his passage. He said he saw Granfield out of the corner of his eye and he refused to move. Then, said the witness, he struck me and I lost my head and struck him.

Francis Murphy, also an oiler, who worked with Connors, testified that he heard the complainant use profane language but did not witness the assault. Subsequently he saw both men, Connors suffering from abrasions on the bridge of the nose and Granfield with a cut under his right eye.

Judge Pickman in summing up the evidence in the case said: "The woman was probably the cause of the trouble. She is a pretty and attractive person and I believe the story which she and the complainant told. Therefore I will impose a fine of \$25."

Four Months in Jail  
The continued case of Abraham Lester, charged with adultery, was called this morning for disposition. After her testimony the defendant was sentenced to four months in jail.

Withdraw Her Appeal  
Elizabeth Rollins, who was yesterday sentenced to three months in jail after being found guilty of adultery and appealed, appeared in court this morning and withdrew her appeal.

Drunk Offenders  
Alexander Kueltes was charged with being drunk but he denied the allegation. He was arrested in East Merrimack street near the corner of Davidson street last night shortly after six o'clock. Patrolman Moore and Cushman testified as to the man's condition and the court found the defendant guilty but because it was his first offense the nominal fine, \$2, was imposed.

James Gorman was given a suspended sentence of two months in jail. James M. Duce, Daniel Barrett and Edward Powers were each fined \$5. Five first offenders were fined \$3 each and two simple drunks were released.



# AUTO STRUCK HACK

Excitement in Merrick Sq.  
This Morning

There was considerable excitement at the corner of Central and Merrick streets this morning about 10 o'clock when an automobile collided with a hack, breaking the pole. No one was injured. According to the story of witnesses of the accident the hack was the third in a funeral that was coming from Holyoke. The backs in the front had turned into Central street from Merrick when the automobile, which is the property of the Page Catering company, and was driven by John Sargent, of 625 Rogers street, came shooting down Merrick street and went to cut through the funeral procession. As the machine was going through, it struck the pole of the hack, snapping it at its connection with the body of the vehicle.

The hack driver held the frightened animals, left his seat and had the people get out of the coach. They were transferred to other hacks and the cortege proceeded to the cemetery. A telephone message was sent to the owner of the carriage, the Lowell Coach Co., and Mr. Sargent, manager, brought another pole to replace the damaged one. The hack was pulled into Middle street, where the new pole was placed in position and it was taken to the stable. The driver said to the writer: "It was through no fault of mine the accident happened. I was turning into the street following the other carriages when the automobile cut in through. The horses behaved well, and the snapping of the pole saved the hack from probable destruction."

**M. E. CONFERENCE**  
PROVIDENCE, March 29. Little business of a general character was done today by the Southern New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at its 72nd annual session. A regular session of the conference was held in the forenoon and the afternoon was given over to anniversary meetings of different societies within the conference.

Right now is the time to look over your properties over. If you are going to buy, don't delay another day.

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## THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



JUST A WAY THEY HAVE.  
Jack Spratt was very fat,  
His brother Tom was lean;  
Jack rode in a touring car,  
Tom in a flying machine.

Find Jack.  
ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE  
Upside down, behind baby.

# GROOM'S ILL HEALTH

WAS NO BAR TO THIS WEDDING

LYNN, March 29.—After considerable difficulty, Miss Violet Wade and John Charles Thompson, a shoe worker, both of Lynn, yesterday afternoon secured from the Lynn city clerk's office a license to be married. The prospective groom's health, Frank R. Thompson, tried to prevent the issuing of a license on the ground that John Thompson was in poor health, still suffering from the effects of a fall received in childhood. City Clerk Joseph Atwill, however, declared that there was no law which authorized him to withhold marriage licenses on this ground.

About a week ago Miss Wade applied at the city clerk's office for a license immediately. Clerk Atwill explained the new five-day law to her.

Next day she renewed her application saying she would wait the required time for her certificate. Meantime the brother appeared to Clerk Atwill and Chief of Police Bradley to see if the marriage could be stopped. They told him that the couple were of age and not related, and had a right to marry.

Yesterday afternoon, the time being up, Miss Wade and Thompson secured the license.

## LEGAL NOTICES

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas R. Purcell, of Lowell, in said County, an insane person, and to the State Board of Insanity. Whereas, John A. Dowling, guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance his account as guardian upon the estate of said ward.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And the said guardian is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on the day before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court and also delivering a copy of this citation to the State Board of Insanity seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha Raynes, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Harry Raynes, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on the day before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court and also delivering a copy of this citation to the State Board of Insanity seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth McKay, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by George Edward Raymond, who avows that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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# A LITTLE NONSENSE



NO FISH STORIES.

The Boarder—I've heard it said that all of our Presidents were enthusiastic fishermen at some time during their lives.

The Farmer—Humph! Not George Washington. They say he never told 2 lie in his life.



COUNTRY'S FAVORITE SPORT.

"Will you say that you are not a candidate for office?"

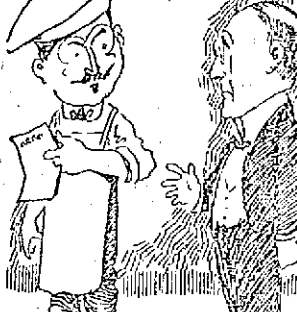
"Why should I? Why assume to pose as the one great exception in American citizenship?"



A WONDERFUL BREED.

"I hear you have evolved a wonderful breed of laying hens. They best anything I ever seen. They don't need roosts."

"No, sir; they're laying night and day."



THOUGHT OF THE COST.

Cook—How'll you have your breakfast tomorrow?  
De Close—In fear and trembling.



BELONGS TO THE ICONOCLASTIC SCHOOL.

"Have you seen that painting by that artist from Reno?"  
"No. What is it called?"  
"Breaking June ties."



KNOCKED OUT.

The Professor—Klaussy is about the best man I have met in my life.  
The Autocrat—Well, he didn't know any thing after I ran across him.

## PHOTO FINISHING

DEVELOPING AND PRINTING—Special for Saturday, March 30th: Prints, No. 24 Browns; No. 3 Browns; No. 4 Browns; No. 5 Browns; No. 6 Browns; No. 7 Browns; No. 8 Browns; No. 9 Browns; No. 10 Browns; No. 11 Browns; No. 12 Browns; No. 13 Browns; No. 14 Browns; No. 15 Browns; No. 16 Browns; No. 17 Browns; No. 18 Browns; No. 19 Browns; No. 20 Browns; No. 21 Browns; No. 22 Browns; No. 23 Browns; No. 24 Browns; No. 25 Browns; No. 26 Browns; No. 27 Browns; No. 28 Browns; No. 29 Browns; No. 30 Browns; No. 31 Browns; No. 32 Browns; No. 33 Browns; No. 34 Browns; No. 35 Browns; No. 36 Browns; No. 37 Browns; No. 38 Browns; No. 39 Browns; No. 40 Browns; No. 41 Browns; No. 42 Browns; No. 43 Browns; No. 44 Browns; No. 45 Browns; No. 46 Browns; No. 47 Browns; No. 48 Browns; No. 49 Browns; No. 50 Browns; No. 51 Browns; No. 52 Browns; No. 53 Browns; No. 54 Browns; No. 55 Browns; No. 56 Browns; No. 57 Browns; No. 58 Browns; No. 59 Browns; No. 60 Browns; No. 61 Browns; No. 62 Browns; No. 63 Browns; No. 64 Browns; 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